

FIGHTING IN MEXICO ENDED

CALIFORNIA MEN AT DORR TRIAL

Called as Witnesses by the Commonwealth in Murder Case
Being Tried at Salem

SALEM, Feb. 19.—Two California witnesses were among the first called by the commonwealth today when the trial of William A. Dorr of Stockton, Cal., on the charge of murdering Geo. James Marsh of Stockton, a brother of the murdered man, told of a visit which he made at the Marsh home in Lynn a month or more before the crime was committed. His brother, he said, spoke of visiting him in California.

Harry Marsh, a nephew, was questioned regarding his uncle's habits. Neither man was able to positively identify a cane which is an exhibit in the case as one which the Lynn man was in the habit of carrying.

Positive identification of the cane was obtained from Mary A. Miller of Topsfield, former housekeeper in the Marsh home. She testified that on April 1, the day Marsh is supposed to have been killed, he left the house between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon and as he was leaving she handed him the cane to carry.

This witness also was questioned regarding the last meal that Marsh ate before he left home. Particular stress was laid on the fact that he had partaken of canned spruce peas.

The prisoner, watched the proceedings from the steel cage in the center of the courtroom with much interest. He frequently called his attorneys to the cage in conferences as the witnesses were testifying and showed his familiarity with the case, the result of many hours study during the months that he has been in jail.

A former church soloist and member of the smart set in Stockton was the center of attraction.

The finding of the cane which had been submitted to almost every witness for identification was testified to by Napoleon J. Desrosiers of Saugus. He had been working at the point of lines on April 11, 1912, he said and about 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon while riding through Commercial street on a bicycle saw a cap and cane in the road.

Mr. Desrosiers, then, over to the police and the following day showed the officers where he had found the articles. The policeman told him, he testified, that the place was only a short distance from where the body of Marsh had been found a short time before.

Attorney Barney for the defense cross examined Desrosiers regarding an automobile which witness said passed him about the time he found the cap and cane. The only description that the witness could give was that it was a large touring car and was moving rapidly.

A neighbor of the murdered man, Mary H. Harris of Lynn, who is considered an important witness for the prosecution, spoke to Mr. Marsh as he was leaving his home on the afternoon of April 11, saw him board a trolley car and saw Dorr follow the car in his auto, according to his testimony. She had seen Dorr in the neighborhood three times and on the day in question noticed him in conversation with another neighbor, Dr. Bergengren, she said.

Dorr wore a coat of mixed goods, tan shoes and a cap witness said. Later she saw an automobile which resembled Dorr's near Central square.

Mrs. Harris was cross examined at considerable length regarding her knowledge of automobiles and said she did not know the make of the one Dorr drove. She described it as rather a large runabout. Asked regarding her conversation with Marsh on April 11 witness said that Mr. Marsh told her he was feeling better and hoped "soon to go without a case."

Frederick Castle, who was employed as chauffeur by James Marsh, the son, when the latter was at his eastern home in Topsfield, told the jury that he had frequently taken the murdered man to ride. Mr. Marsh always carried a cane and the witness positively identified the cane in evidence as the one his passenger carried. Under cross examination Castle said that Marsh had to be helped into the auto when he went on these rides.

The walking stick was also referred to by Harold A. Naugle of Lynn, cashier of the soap manufacturing concern of which the deceased was head. He recognized it as one Marsh used frequently. His employer, he said, had been in poor health for about a year. Naugle's cross examination was brief.

The Marsh housekeeper, Mary Miller, who testified earlier in the day was called and said that Mr. Marsh had trouble with one finger, which made it difficult to put on his glove.

The charges fall flat

Edwards Absolved of W. Virginian Bribery

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 19.—Charges against Col. William Seymour Edwards of offering bribes to further his candidacy for United States senator fell yesterday when Delegate Rhodes, who made the charge, failed to appear at a preliminary hearing.

Justice of the Peace Gilchrist dismissed the case after Delegate J. M. Smith, named by Rhodes as the man Edwards tried to bribe, testified that he never discussed the senatorial situation with Col. Edwards.

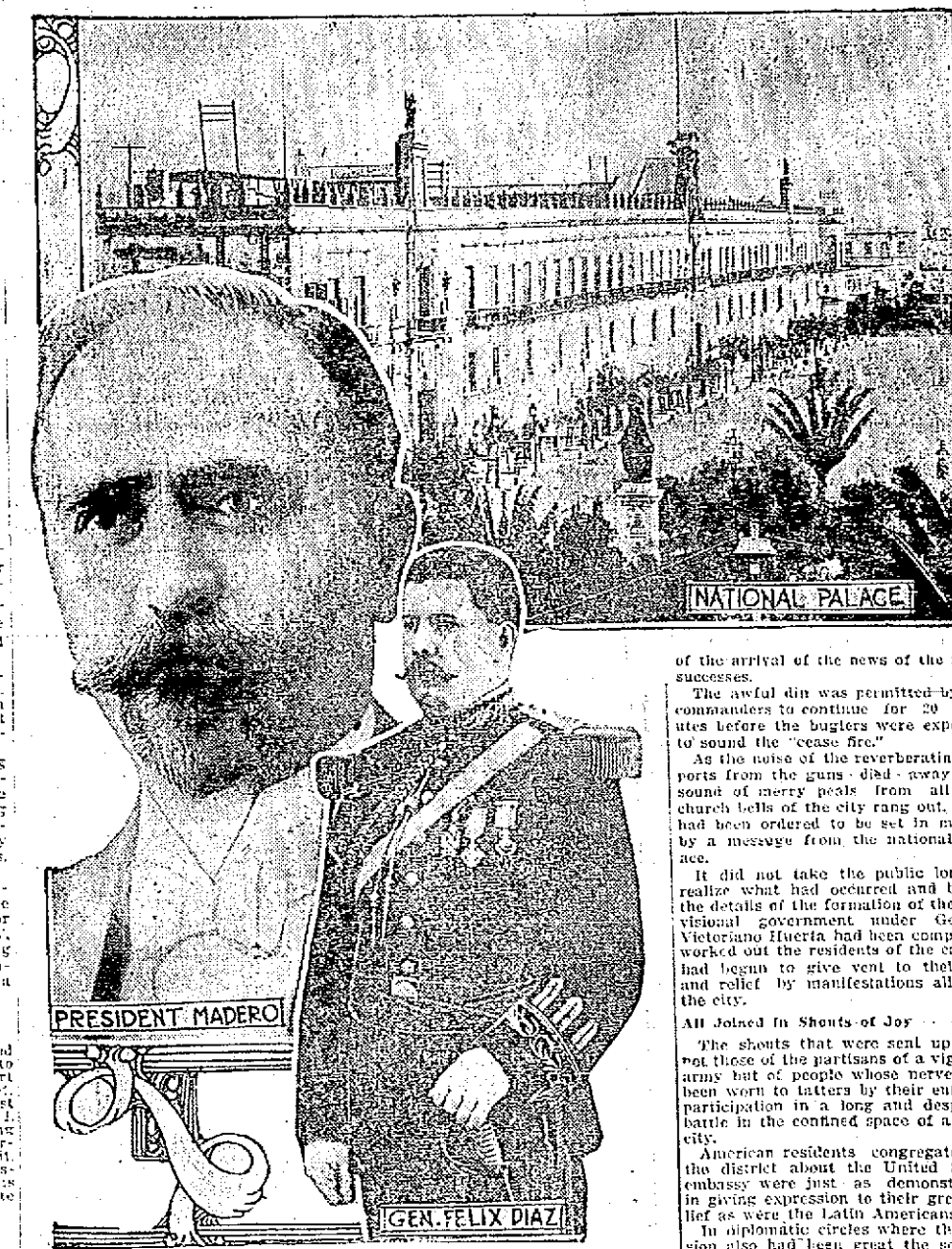
The special grand jury investigating alleged bribery in the legislature continued its inquiry today, but failed to find any further indictments. Among the witnesses heard were State Senator W. A. MacCorkle, Senator Gray Silver, democrat, floor leader, and Pres. Woods of the senate.

With but three more days of the regular session of the legislature there is little hope of choosing a successor to United States Senator Clarence W. Watson. Both branches are devoting the closing days of the session to woman suffrage, the Virginia-West Virginia debt, and other proposed legislation.

CESSATION OF INHUMAN WARFARE

FOLLOWS ARREST OF MADERO

Gen. Huerta, Provisional Ruler---News of Change Applauded---Great Tribute to American Flag



PRESIDENT MADERO

GEN. FELIX DIAZ

of the arrival of the news of the rebel successes.

The awful din was permitted by the commanders to continue for 20 minutes before the buglers were expected to sound the "cease fire."

As the noise of the reverberating reports from the guns died away the sound of merry peals from all the church bells of the city rang out. They had been ordered to be set in motion by a message from the national palace.

It did not take the public long to realize what had occurred and before the details of the formation of the provisional government under General Victoriano Huerta had been completely worked out the residents of the capital had begun to give vent to their joy and relief by manifestations all over the city.

All joined in Shouts of Joy

The shouts that were sent up were not those of the partisans of a vigorous army but of people whose nerves had been worn to tatters by their enforced participation in a long and desperate battle in the confined space of a great city.

American residents congregated in the district about the United States embassy were just as demonstrative in giving expression to their great relief as were the Latin Americans.

In diplomatic circles where the tension also had been great the solution which has been found was greeted heartily.

All along San Francisco street and in other thoroughfares of the downtown district extending as far as the big open square in front of the national palace thousands of people pushed their way back and forth waving banners which had been improvised out of the first material at hand and on which was printed the one Spanish word meaning "peace."

"Hurrah for Huerta"

Shouts of "Hurrah for Huerta," "Hurrah for Blanquet," "Hurrah for Diaz," "Hurrah for Madero" sounded everywhere throughout the city.

Soldiers who a few hours before had been on the firing line were posted as sentinels on the street corners taking the place of the police who had not been on duty on the abandoned streets for over ten days.

There was practically no disorder except one notable case of riotous behavior. This was the burning down of the building and plant of the Nuevo Era, the organ of President Madero. This newspaper was already discredited by the anti-governmental element which utilized the opportunity of pay-

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News Celebrated by Shouts

It appeared for a time as though every machine gun and every rifle in the arsenal had been brought into action in the effort to fire away all the remaining stores of ammunition there. It was, however, merely in celebration

good offices of any nation were preferable to the wanton destruction of property and the awful loss of life which has been occurring with neither side gaining any apparent advantage.

By 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Francisco Madero and the members of his cabinet with the exception of Ernesto Madero, the minister of finance, had been made prisoners. Ernesto Madero managed to effect his escape only a few minutes before the men commanded by Gen. Blanquet had taken the other ministers prisoners in the national palace.

Brother of Madero Arrested

Gustavo Madero, another brother of President Madero, was among those arrested. He had been denounced in many quarters since the first days of the Madero administration as an arch politician and had been charged with being a false counselor of the president. Later in the day General Delgado and Gen. Felipe Angeles and two of the federal commanders who were not in accord with General Huerta's plan were added to the list of prisoners.

The plan had originally been made without the knowledge of Felix Diaz, the rebel leader. The word, however, soon permeated the rebel lines and there began such a fusillade from the machine guns and such volleys from the rifles as had been seen but seldom since the opening of hostilities.

The part played by the American embassy in the settlement of the difficulties of Mexico gained for the American flag such a tribute as rarely has been witnessed in Mexico. After the messenger from the embassy, Harry Berlingier, had gone through the fire of the rebel lines to the arsenal conveying the message of peace sent by Ambassador Wilson he found the national palace in an automobile bearing a white flag on one side and the stars and stripes on the other.

Outburst of Applause

By the time he emerged from the national palace after delivering the note to General Huerta the crowd outside had learned the import of his visit and the reappearance of his car was the signal for a great outburst of applause. Through an immense mass of humanity gathered in the Zocalla and along San Francisco street the big auto made its way with the stars and stripes flying in the wind. Group after group of the people in the streets caught up the cry "Viva los Americanos" and cheered wildly. For days the entire population of Mexico City had regarded intervention by the United States as practically inevitable. Mexicans of the non-combatant class suffered divided emotions of hope and fear. Thousands, although deploring intervention, had come to the conclusion that the

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH BOARD

Mortality Rate of 1912 Lowest in Twenty-Three Years—Chairman Raps Critics

The thirty-fifth annual report of the Lowell board of health was filed with the city clerk today. The report is a very voluminous one and for scraph and shell it stands foremost in the ranks of departmental reports.

The report is a very encouraging one, too. The death rate for the year was 17.9, the lowest excepting 1904, in which year, the report claims, the figures 16.62 were obtained from an over-estimated population and that a revision of the figures would show the mortality rate of 1912 to have been the lowest in the last 23 years.

Also by far, the lowest on record is the number of deaths from cholera infantum in 1912.

Dr. Pierre Brunelle, the board chairman, his back, in his report, at the board's critics. He says it would be unfair to the epidemic of 1912 (meaning the scarlet fever epidemic), without passing upon the remarkable activity of the political affiliations.

Beginning a new paragraph, the doctor sails into a local paper that he says was "apparently assisted by a few medical friends." In reference to this report reads: "All these (meaning the newspaper and the doctors) seemed to understand one another in concerted action. Apparently there was formulated a well organized plan of campaign work."

Throughout the stinging storm of denunciation, hardly from certain quarters only, the present board never wavered, but kept along its clear and just course, notwithstanding unreasonable requests of this board by powerful organizations—medically tipped, to do this or that thing, undoubtedly with the object in view, through concerted effort, to rush the members of the board

of health into a corner from which it could never extricate itself with good grace in the eyes of the general public.

"It is interesting to note," continues the report, "that up to October 10, 1912, we had reported at the board of health office 218 cases of scarlet fever and one death, as compared with the corresponding period of 1910, when Dr. Brunelle was chairman of the board and when there were 228 cases of scarlet fever reported and 26 deaths from same."

In concluding this paragraph Dr. Brunelle refers again to the newspaper and the doctors, as follows: "Striking how well all these parties could contemplate with eloquent silence the wonderful and inscrutable ways of Providence in 1910."

Further along in his report the doctor writes: "It is well to remark here, the French-American population, combined with that of the Greek, Polish and other nationalities such as the Portuguese, Italian, etc. approximate a population of 50,000 people, shows for a period since the last of August to the last of the year a total of but 12 cases of scarlet fever."

The doctor at this point indulges in a lot of sarcasm and allows that the 50,000 people referred to did not come in contact with the newspaper in question and thus escaped the virulence of infection.

Referring again to the doctors who criticized the work of the board Dr. Brunelle states: "Why could not there have been medical lights who were in the habit of meeting secretly, come forward and lend to their brothers in the profession on the board a helping hand in imparting some of their fine medical knowledge about scarlet fever, which they chose to keep in secret, behind closed doors?"

There is no happier couple in Lowell today than Mrs. Nellie Murphy of 75 East Merrimack street, and her son, Henry Watson, aged 30 years, who have met again after being separated for 25 years.

Both thought each other dead until a year ago, when Mrs. Murphy found that her son was alive and making his home in Erie, Pa. She immediately corresponded with him, and six weeks ago she went to Erie and there met him, and finally had the young man decide to return to his birthplace, Lowell, and the couple arrived yesterday morning.

According to Mr. Watson his father died when he was about five years of age. His mother took sick shortly afterward and the little fellow was placed in Fr. Baker's institution in Buffalo, N. Y. He remained there six months and then was adopted by a rich farmer living on the outskirts of Erie. The boy remained with his foster father until he reached the age of 15, when he started out to see the world. He traveled for many years and finally returned to Erie, where he took out himself a bride.

Mr. Watson always thought his mother was dead, while Mrs. Murphy who was living in Lowell and who had married again, tried in vain to locate her child. A year ago, however, her efforts were successful, for she found her only son was in Erie, Pa. She immediately wrote to him and the correspondence was kept up until six weeks ago, when Mrs. Murphy received a telegram from the wife of her son, asking her to go to Erie at once. Fearing something had happened to her son, the woman quickly boarded a train for the eastern city. Although the mother and son did not recognize each other at once, the meeting was a most pleasant one, and instead of one long lost child, the Lowell woman found two, a son and a grandson.

The mother wishing to have her son near her, pleaded with him to come and make his home in this city, and finally he consented and the party arrived in Lowell yesterday. They are stopping

at 75 East Merrimack street. Mr. Watson's wife and son will remain in Erie for some time yet, but they too, will later remove to Lowell.

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DEATHS

PERRY—Mrs. Dianah M. Perry, an old resident of this city, died this morning at her home, 16 Robbins street after a long illness, at the age of 83 years, 8 months and 1 day. She is survived by her husband, John Perry, Sr., one son, John Perry, Jr., one grandson, Hendrick S. Perry, and two nieces. Funeral notice later.

J. F. Morgan Better

LONDON, Feb. 18.—J. F. Morgan, according to a special despatch from Cairo, went out driving today. He slept last night better than he had done for some time and is recovering from his attack of indigestion. His granddaughter has left Egypt for home.

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19c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 3. Sale Price, Yard..... **12c**

25c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 5. Sale Price, Yard..... **19c**

29c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 7. Sale Price, Yard..... **20c**

39c Colored Velvet Ribbon, special width for neck bows. Sale Price, Yard..... **29c**

49c Colored Velvets, No. 12. Sale Price, Yard..... **39c**

59c Colored Velvets, No. 22. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

5 in. Cerise Velvet Ribbon, special for sashes and millinery. Sale Price, Yard..... **69c**

19c Black Velvet, No. 2. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

39c Black Velvet, No. 14, special, best quality for sashes, collars and dress trimmings. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

59c Black Velvet, No. 22. Sale Price, Yard..... **39c**

69c Black Velvet, No. 40; extra good quality. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

59c Best Quality Taffeta Ribbon, in full line of colors, 8 in. width. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

Hair Bow Taffeta, 4 inch, full line of colors. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

English Byadriere Roman Stripes, for belts and special for men's ties. Sale Price, Yard..... **79c**

49c Dresden Ribbon, latest novelty, 6 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **39c**

59c Taffeta Ribbon, 7 in., extra heavy lady bow quality, in black, white and full line of colors with fancy edge. Sale Price, Yard..... **39c**

Warp Prints, 4 1-2 in., dainty patterns, both light and dark backgrounds. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

Novelty Hair Bow Taffeta, 6 in., fancy edge in all of the staple colors. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

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39c Dresden, patterns suitable for children waist bands. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

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29c Messaline in all shades, 5 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **19c**

25c Black Taffeta, extra good black and best quality, 3 and 3 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **10c**

49c Black Faille, suitable for millinery and hair bows, 7 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **20c**

49c Satin Background Dresden in violet, red and blue predominating. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

No. 1 Lingerie Wash Ribbon in pink, blue and white with anchor design. Sale Price, Yard, or Piece..... **3c** **25c**

Latest Novelty Bulgarian Ribbon, suitable for dress trimmings and men's ties, 5 in. Value 79c. Sale Price, Yard..... **59c**

98c, No. 1 Special Tapestry Ribbon in green background with old rose coloring, 6 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **89c**

75c, No. 1 Special Maple Leaf Pattern, 7 in. width. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

15c Dresden in Dainty Patterns, 2 1-2 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **5c**

69c Plaid for Hair Bows, special in 10 yard pieces, 6 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

39c and 49c Dresden, 6 in. width. Sale Price, Yard..... **29c**

79c Roman Stripes in old rose and green, best quality, 6 in. width. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

79c Dresden Ribbons, white background with wood colors and Roman stripe edge, 6 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

10c Black Satin Ribbon, No. 7. Sale Price, Yard..... **3c**

15c Black Satin Grosgrain, Nos. 9 and 12. Sale Price, Yard..... **5c**

10c Black and Light Blue Chiffon Ribbon for hair ornaments and dress trimmings, No. 3 and No. 5. Sale Price, Yard..... **1c**

49c Satin Roman Stripes, 6 in. for hair bows and director's sashes. Sale Price, Yard..... **29c**

25c Warp Print Ribbons, 5 in., dainty Dresden patterns. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

29c and 39c Dresden in every desirable shade in pink, blue, maize and blue. Sale Price, Yard..... **25c**

33c Roman Stripes, 4 in., suitable for hair ribbon and millinery for children's school hats. Sale Price, Yard..... **19c**

25c Green, Red and Blue Check, 5 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **10c**

19c Roman Stripes, Persians and Warp Prints. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

12 1-2c and 15c Value Taffeta, in all good staple colors, 2 1-2 and 3 in. Sale Price, Yard..... **5c**

19c Pearl Gray and Dark Gray Taffeta, 5 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **5c**

25c Satin Taffeta in Alice, Garnet, Scarlet, Lavender, Navy, Seal Brown, 5 inch width. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

25c Satin Taffeta, extra good for girdles and hat bows, 4 inch width. Sale Price, Yard..... **19c**

15c Satin Taffeta in red, pink, yellow, white and blue, 3 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **10c**

29c and 39c Black Moire, 6 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **15c**

10c No. 1 Polka Dot Lingerie Wash Ribbon in pink, blue and white. Sale Price, Piece..... **7c**

69c Light Blue, Pink and White Taffeta with 1 in. satin stripe. Special for sashes, 6 inch. Sale Price, Yard..... **49c**

In this particular pattern we have Hair Bow Ribbon to match sashes, 5 1-2 in. width. Sale Price, Yard..... **39c**

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Lowell Opera House

George M. Cohan's "Little Nipper" is the new attraction at the opera house. The show is a comedy of the highest order, and is being given by the famous Cohan family. The show is a comedy of the highest order, and is being given by the famous Cohan family. The show is a comedy of the highest order, and is being given by the famous Cohan family.

Charles Vaughan, who plays the role of Arthur Brown, labor representative in the House of Commons in "Miles and Miles," which comes to the opera house, Feb. 21, visited the "Piped Notes" last April with Charles Haxton, who plays the role of "The Old Man" in "The Old Man." An earlier visit was made with Percy Robertson.

Merrimack Square Theatre

A most entertaining program is being given at the Merrimack Square Theatre this week. It consists of a number of crackling good vaudeville acts together with a series of fine films. Headline the list are the Temple Players in an English entertainment in one scene called "At a London Carriage." This is distinctly different from any thing ever produced by the Players and is most. See it. Then the new and novel instrumentalists, Curtis and Burns, both have something to please, while Snowie Mayble is a pretty little girl who sets you in good humor with her songs. The photo plays intermingled throughout the bill are all A1.

Keith's

With the Six American Danes, Billie C. Swett, Bill and Willard and chain on the bill one of the best lots of variety in entertainment in the city this week is on view at the Keith Theatre. No one line of entertainment is overdone, yet all of the different kinds fit into a perfect whole. In addition to these splendid acts there are several other things which are more than just good. Mae Mulligan is a pretty singer and dancer, and George F. Hall is a declaimer of more than ordinary ability. Les Goulet appears with some unusual musical instruments, and Dennis brothers are splendid acrobats, ladder acrobats. Tickets for this all-

good bill may be secured at the box office for any performance during the week. The box office phone number is 28.

The Playhouse

There is no doubt but that Miss Bertha Mann, the new member of The Drama Players, who are this week presenting George Bernard Shaw's great problem play, "Mrs. Warren's Profession" at The Playhouse, will make herself extremely popular with the patrons of this theatre. Her work already stamps her as an actress of well 10 years ago, was equipped with a skate made in Worcester, which was

replacement of endeavors that are indeed praiseworthy. Those who have already witnessed her presentation of the character of "Vivie" readily agree that her efforts are most pleasing. Order your seats for Saturday, Washington's birthday anniversary, now and avoid the possibility of being disappointed.

The Casino

Roller polo and roller skating are vastly different propositions, but both require the "best" skates available. The champion roller polo team of Lowell, which was equipped with a skate made in Worcester, which was

positively the best made at that time, but which has since undergone a number of important improvements. Today, there is no skate in the world to equal it. After a few hours' skating at the Casino you will understand why.

Jerusalem Tonight

All who wish to learn about the Holy Land, especially Jerusalem, are invited to the illustrated lecture which Mr. William Bradford Goodwin will give in the People's club house, beginning at 8 o'clock tonight. Many fine views will show the chief interest. The hall is in charge for admission. The elevator will give a "lift" to the hall.

PRINCIPAL HENRY H. HARRIS

Of the Varnum School Addressed
Mothers' Association at First
Congregational Church

The monthly meeting of the Mothers' association of the First Congregational church took place this afternoon in the vestry of the church and was largely attended. A feature of the afternoon was an address by Principal H. H. Harris of the Varnum school, who spoke on "The Home and the School."

The meeting was opened at 3 o'clock by the president, Mrs. George Heath, and this was followed by the devotional exercises presided over by Mrs. Robert S. Fulton. Mrs. William F. Lyon rendered a fine violin selection, being accompanied on the piano by Master George Faulkner of the Varnum school.

Among those present was the pastor of the church, Rev. Mr. Newcomb. Mr. Harris' address was in part as follows:

"Two great bulwarks which have safeguarded our civilization and culture are the home and the school. Other institutions have, indeed, made valuable contributions, but to the home and to the school are we indebted for the noblest fruits of modern life."

"Each has its own distinct duties and functions, but the division is not fixed and immutable, nor is the line of demarcation between the special fields of each always easy to draw. Today's demands upon each are different from those of yesterday, and future requirements will not be identical with those of today. The nature and character of school work and home duties are in a state of revolution, of rapid adjustment to changing conditions. In past generations the influence of the home overshadowed that of the school. In the home the child received the major part of his training for his later life. The home produced and equipped him for all the work of his life. The child was now carried on in the factory was the center of the child's social life; in contrast, the school was merely the place where the future citizen was to be equipped to the unwilling youth."

"As the years roll steadily by, the home has lost, one by one, many of its important and characteristic functions. Particularly when located in a city like Lowell, it offers very little opportunity for observation of the portion of life, constructive work of any kind. The home chores are few: there is little wood to split, no garden to hoe, no cow to milk; no blacksmithing is done, no shoes are made, no cloth is spun, no wagon or sled is constructed; all this work is performed elsewhere. In fact, the city home offers no regular or systematic work of any importance for the youth, no opportunity for manual training or to perform stated tasks. As a consequence this deprives more and more of the child."

"My grandmother took the flax and the wool raised on the farm, prepared it, and spun and wove it into cloth. I have always found that pupils do better work in school whose parents are accustomed to talking over the day's school work with them. Children rarely know themselves that they need

help, but parents can generally find out whether they do or not. If parents would insist upon knowing every day something about what was done, what work was easy, what work was difficult, and why, the gain to the child would be incalculable. The fact that the parents may be unacquainted with the subjects or are 'rusty,' as they are apt to put it, is not material. All day at school the child has been holding up his little pitcher for the teacher to fill, and all day long the teacher has been pouring in; when he comes home, what he needs is to pour it all out and see what he has."

"A child who visits the circus usually visits it with a perfectly normal mental vision. He describes with glowing enthusiasm what he has seen. We can scarcely expect that his account of a day of school work will be enthusiastic, but it may well be definite and clear. It may insist upon it, we insist upon getting it."

"I beg of you to look carefully after your boys and girls with respect to their eating and sleeping. Don't let the girls hurry off in the morning, however little appetite they may have, without something substantial in their stomachs. Don't let boys or girls get a plenty of sleep in a bed room to get a plenty of sleep in a bed room. There used to be a prejudice against night air, but people now realize that there is nothing else but night air for several of the twenty-four hours, and that pure air is a prophylactic that wards off many diseases. Pure air and lack of sleep give strength and vigor to enable boys and girls to supply material for physical growth and energy for physical and mental activity."

\$100,000 Loss by Fire

BURLINGTON, Vt., Feb. 12.—Two buildings at the plant of the Shepard & Morse Lumber Co. of Boston, together with a large amount of machinery and valuable lumber. The loss is estimated at about \$100,000 and is fully covered by insurance. The buildings were owned by the Rutland railroad.

Cord of Thanks

The undersigned desire to thank all those who by their sympathy and beautiful tributes assisted in making lighter the burden of sorrow in their late bereavement in the loss of their father, Nathaniel Bishop.

Herbert L. Bishop,
Warren A. Bishop.

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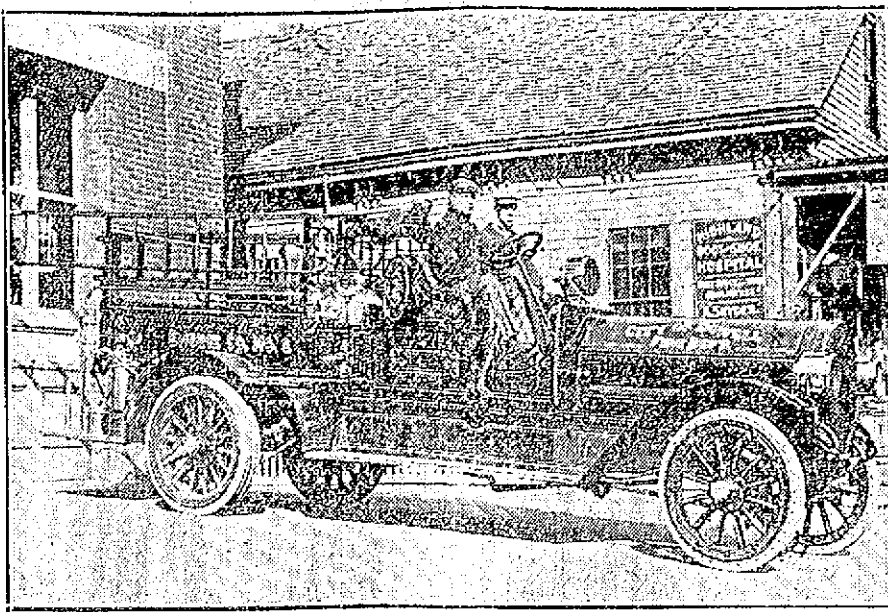
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ANOTHER FIRE AUTO, THE SEAGRAVES, TESTED THIS AFTERNOON BY COMMISSIONER BARRETT



THE NEW SEAGRAVE AUTO MACHINE

The Seagraves automobile combination hose and chemical was given a try-out this afternoon. It was the last of the three machines recently purchased and while Commissioner Barrett seems to think exceptionally well of the Robinson machine, a great deal has been said in praise of the Seagraves machine by fire chiefs in

different cities throughout the country. Lowell, however, is now in a position to test both machines and conclusions may be drawn later. The Seagraves is a six-cylinder machine and very powerful. It is air cooled, has electric search lights and electric lights throughout. The wheel base is 150 inches. The machine carries a chemical tank with a capacity of 40 gallons; 200 feet of chemical hose; 100 feet of two and one-half inch hose and a 30-foot ladder. The machine will be installed at the Palmer street engine house. The test of the Seagraves was made over almost exactly the same route as that taken by the Robinson machine a few days ago.

BOMB EXPLOSION WRECKED HOUSE

Suffragettes Accused of Placing
Infernal Machine in Residence
of David Lloyd George

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The country residence of Chancellor of the Exchequer David Lloyd George at Walton Heath was practically destroyed this morning by a bomb believed by the police to have been placed there either by militant suffragettes or male sympathizers with the women's suffrage movement. Mr. Lloyd George himself is on a motor trip in France and nobody was injured as the residence has not yet been occupied. The whole of the rear portion of the house will have to be razed and rebuilt. A bomb had been placed in one of the rooms of the residence, which links a modest home adjoining the links on

Prevent Consolidation of Railroads

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—A bill aimed to prevent the consolidation of railroads and street railways in Massachusetts was reported unanimously by the committee on railroads in the Massachusetts state senate today. The bill provides a fine of \$1000 or imprisonment for one year or both for any official or agent of a railroad corporation who violates any of the provisions of the law prohibiting the consolidation of railroads or street railways.

Committed Suicide

SOMERVILLE, Feb. 12.—Mrs. William Barrett, formerly of Augusta, Me., committed suicide at her home here today by hanging. She had been in a nervous state for some years.

Strikers Reach Agreement

LEBANON, N. H., Feb. 12.—The 30 weavers at the Maccos mill of the American Woolen Co., who struck yesterday for a raise in wages, came to an agreement with the agent today and returned to work.

When you feel discouraged and all the world seems to be against you—that's your system's way of telegraphing you that something is WRONG and needs HELP.

It may be that your liver is tired and refuses to work, or your digestive organs have had too much to do and need care. Perhaps you have been eating the wrong kind of food, and your blood is too rich or impoverished. What you need is a tonic.

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President, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

HEAVY LOSSES REPORTED

By Insurance Men at the
Central St. Fire

The buildings in Central street which were damaged by fire recently were inspected by the insurance men yesterday. There were also many business men among the visitors to the scene. It seems to be the general opinion that the structure will need to be rebuilt.

The greatest losses were the proprietors of the Sunlight Shoe store for nearly the whole of the stock was destroyed to some extent by the fire, and the loss to the Central St. Fire Co. was at first underestimated and was found to be considerably greater than was at first thought. The goods in the cellar of this structure were badly damaged by the water.

Mr. Lull's Statement

It was erroneously stated in the report of the fire printed yesterday that dynamite and dynamite, meaning dynamite cartridges, were kept in the basement of Lull & Hartford. To a Sun reporter Mr. Lull today stated that the firm has never carried a small quantity of dynamite powder, which the firm is licensed to keep; but there was no other explosive of any kind in the building. The small blast of powder was removed by Mr. Lull himself as soon as he found that there was a fire in the building.

LOOT OF BURGLAR TRUST

Valuable Jewelry Found
in Chicago

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, silverware, furs and jewelry believed to be the loot taken from residences in Cleveland by members of the so-called burglar trust was recovered by the police in a West side pawn shop here last night. Initiators had been scraped off the silverware. Information as to where the booty could be found was given by Otto Christianson, who was arrested on a charge of being the Chicago agent for the "trust." Christianson made a confession in which he implicated Frank Kenney, an arrest here in connection with the murder of Philip Byrnes, a lake captain, in his home in Cleveland early this month.

NEARLY 100 CASES

Will Be Dismissed by Order Issued in Worcester—Some Pending For More Than a Decade

WORCESTER, Feb. 12.—An order was issued by Judge John B. Rattigan in superior court last night that will dismiss nearly 100 cases, some of which have been pending for more than a decade, from the trial calendar.

Under a new rule of the superior court judges more than 200 cases were placed on the present trial calendar for disposition at this sitting of the court by order of the court. Nearly half these cases have not been advanced by counsel and Judge Rattigan gave notice yesterday that all these actions will be dismissed "unless otherwise ordered for cause shown." The enforcement of the new rule is expected by court officials to greatly lighten the trial calendar in the future by preventing the accumulation of old cases.

WAS CAUGHT IN MACHINE

James Morhian, a Laborer at Gillette Carbonizing Company Was Painfully Hurt There Last Night

James Morhian, a laborer, 33 years of age and residing at 33 Auburn street was quite seriously injured last night while at work at the plant of the Gillette Carbonizing Co. where he is employed. Morhian was working over time and in some manner or other he became caught in one of the machines last night, sustaining a fracture of the left arm above the elbow and a fracture of the fourth and fifth ribs on his left side. He was taken to the Emergency hospital for treatment and later to his home where he is said to be resting comfortably.



Cleveland's Baking Powder

is the acme of economical leavening. It takes less for the baking; besides it turns the food out perfect every time, so that there are never wasted materials because of badly raised, uneatable biscuit, bread or cakes.

LOWELL ELKS PRESENT

Banquet to Grand Exalted
Ruler in Boston

Some of the best people on earth gathered at the Copley-Plaza hotel in Boston, last night, to do honor to their grand exalted ruler, Thomas B. Mills, of Superior, Wisconsin. Covers were set for 450 and there wasn't a vacant chair. It was a great night for the Elks and they had one grand time. There was a banquet fit for kings and the speech making was what the ordinary Elks would call "big league stuff." The speakers included Lieut. Governor Walsh, Grafton Cushing, President Greenwood of the senate, E. Mark Sullivan, assistant U. S. district attorney, and others. William E. Hill, chief of police of Everett, was the toastmaster. Lowell Elks present at the festivities included: Mayor James E. O'Donnell, Commissioner James E. O'Donnell, John Farrell, Joseph Mullin, John J. Sullivan, J. L. T. David Gregoire, Elias A. McQuade, Gottlieb Thumm, Daniel McQuade, Maurice O'Donnell, George Harrington, Thomas Kelly, John P. Farley, Andrew Roach and Charles Molloy.

President Taft's Veto

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—President Taft's veto of the Dillingham-Burnett immigration bill went to the house today with the bill, removed over the veto in the senate yesterday.

Geo. W. Galvin, M. D.

The well-known Boston physician founder and for 15 YEARS the SINGHON-ONE OF THE BOSTON Emergency Hospital, is Administering

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After a successful season we have taken inventory and find hundreds of odd garments, one here, one there. They must be sold—no thought is given to cost. A clean sweep of everything but the fixtures. CLEAN SWEEP STARTS THURSDAY MORNING AT 9.30 O'CLOCK.

128 SUITS AT \$8.90
A fine variety, all high priced suits. Clean sweep, at..... **\$8.90**

SOILED WASH DRESSES selling to \$3.00, at..... **69c**

COATS AT \$5.00
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In two lots, less than you could buy the goods. We must clean them out.

MIDDY BLOUSES, \$1 value **29c**

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WAISTS—We have \$2000.00 worth of—
Waists—too many—
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NOT 1-2 PRICE

73 SILK DRESSES
All \$12 to \$20, Taffeta Aeolian and Charmeuse in \$7.90 the lots.....

ALL WOOL SERGE SKIRTS, \$5.00 values..... **\$2.90**

27 SERGE DRESSES
Selling to \$8.00, at..... **\$2.98**

\$1.00 WAISTS, discontinued styles..... **39c**

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Spring Wash Dresses

SELLING AT \$1.50

98c

SCHOOLS AND TAX REFORMS



FRANK E. DUNBAR
President

Discussed at Unitarian Church— F. E. Dunbar Elected President of Fat Men's Club

The Men's club of the Unitarian church held its monthly meeting and annual meeting as well, last night. Walter Coburn, reporting for the nominating committee, suggested that Frank E. Dunbar be elected president and Edward Carney, vice president. Both were unanimously elected. The old committee of the club was elected to serve the ensuing year.

The club members listened to two very interesting addresses by Hon. John Rogers and Principal William H. Dooley of the Lowell Industrial school. Mr. Rogers spoke on "Tax Reforms in Wisconsin," while Mr. Dooley discussed "The School of the Future." Mr. Dooley said, in part:

"Education means preparation for life and that education takes place in the home, society and the shop. We restrict the formal education to that which is given in the schools. Informal education is received from home and social sources. Most of the education which our forefathers received was informal in character. If, for instance, the farmer's boy broke a vehicle, a harness or something of similar character to his work, he was taught by his father how to correct the trouble.

"A great change has taken place in recent years. The home supplies no longer what it once did in the way of education. The relationship existing between parents and children is not what it used to be. The girl, for example, does not attempt to perform household duties which she did generations ago. The boy once was a real home boy. He learned much from home instruction, and when he became of age, he was made an apprentice to work out a trade of some kind. His instruction was gradual, practical.

"Today we find the boy facing vastly different conditions. He contends against conditions that deprive him of a certain goal. He goes to work minus a system, and he may be turned from one trade to another for years without definite success. The history of the education of one state shows that the instruction of the home has been shifted in great measure to the public schools. Not only in our regular instruction, but in the playground idea, has this been the development.

"The new system of education must supply to the youth a practical system of instruction by which he or she may go out and take up the battle of life successfully. Also it will eventually be necessary for the public school system to find positions for graduates, and in that respect the schools will be one great employment agency.

"Changes of social conditions must be met in our life, to the end that the best governmental conditions may obtain in America, as they have in the past, and the basis of all genuine prosperity in the future is the new education, which has become a feature of our magnificent public school system."

To Get Rid of Wrinkles and Bad Complexions

(From Beauty's Mirror)

It is more important now than during the period of profuse perspiration, to keep the pores clean. All cosmetics are the enemy. In winter this interferes greatly with elimination of waste material, instead of aiding it. The complexion, therefore, is made up of cream, powders and rouges, giving far better results. It actually keeps off an offensive skin, at the same time unclogging the pores. Minute particles of sebum come off day by day, causing not the least pain or discomfort. Gradually the healthy, younger skin beneath peels out, and in less than a fortnight you have a lovelier complexion than you ever dreamed of acquiring. More perfect wax, obtainable at any drug store, is spread on nightly like cold cream and washed off in morning. One omeo usually suffices.

For removing wrinkles, without stopping the pores with sticky stuff, here's a new-fangled formula. 1 oz. powdered salicylic acid dissolved in 2 pint witch hazel. Rub the face in this daily for a while; every line will vanish completely. Even the first application gives surprising results.

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The best resolution to begin the New Year with is to buy everything you need where you get the only absolute guarantee of best quality at lowest prices from one source and to another. Such a resolution will reduce your cost of living. Read our advertisements in the BOSTON SUNDAY PAPERS

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SCHUMAKER IS MAYOR OF MALDEN

Defeated Doonan in Special Election—Mayor Barry Renominated in Cambridge

MALDEN, Feb. 19.—At the special election for mayor yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mayor George J. Farrell, ex-Alderman Chas. Schumaker was elected, defeating ex-Councilman Owen C. Doonan by 1092 votes. The vote by wards follows:

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
Schumaker	525	159	488	442	112	575	147	3138
Doonan	267	753	224	234	129	191	309	2616

Mayor-elect Schumaker has been a resident of the city more than a quarter of a century. He is engaged in business here and is well known. He has been an alderman for six years and has been a member of the legislature from this district. More than 1200 voters out of a registration of 1951, went to the polls.

BARRY RENOMINATED

Mayor of Cambridge Given Plurality of 1591—Carried Every Ward in the City—Increased Vote

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—The result of the democratic primary for mayor yesterday in Cambridge resulted in the renomination of Mayor J. Edward Barry by a plurality of 1591 votes.

7311, just about the full strength of the party vote at a regular municipal election. The total of each candidate was:

J. Edward Barry, 3739; James A. Montgomery, 2145; James T. Barrett, 617; Michael M. O'Connor, 559; Charles H. Gaffney, 133.

Husband and Wife Both Saved From Suffering

I wish to tell you the good results myself and husband received from Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. About 11 years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe and was confined to my bed about eight weeks under the doctor's care. He pronounced my case hopeless and recommended amputation of my kidney. I was not receiving the results from the doctor's treatment I should have received. I decided to try Swamp-Root. After taking several bottles of Swamp-Root I was able to get up and attend to my work. About a year later my husband was afflicted with a severe attack of kidney trouble and doctor for some time with the doctor and received no benefit. Knowing of the good I had received, he decided to try Swamp-Root. His condition was such that he was confined to his bed and could not tell how he suffered, but after taking Swamp-Root he was relieved so he could go on with his work without pain. I wish to heartily recommend Swamp-Root to all persons afflicted with kidney and bladder troubles and you may publish this letter if you wish.

Yours truly,
MRS. A. E. BRIGGS,
Elford, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 25th day of May, 1912.
H. A. MCCARTHY, Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You.

Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Lowell Sun. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

SUFFRAGETTE TRIUMPH

Wilmington, Del., Welcomes the Marchers

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 19.—"They are coming, they are coming, and one is changing her shoes down at the feet of the bill on Market street," cried a newsboy running up in front of the hotel where 1200 Wilmington people had been waiting to welcome "Gen." Rosalie Jones of New York and her suffragettes on their way to Washington. The crowd rushed down Market street hill and encountered Chief Scout Mrs. Olive Schultz of New York. She was changing her shoes, but they were two of the shoes of her little scouting automobile.

PATTEN DEFEATED

WATERTOWN, Feb. 19.—The surprise of the republican caucus, held last night, was the defeat of Alderman Wendell W. Patten for renomination. Mr. Patten, who last year received the unanimous nomination of the republicans and democrats, was last night renominated by the democrats, but failed to win tonight. He will be a candidate for re-election, however, on the democratic ticket.

George Fred Robinson, a former member of the board of selectmen, received the nomination last night. The nominations were: Wesley E. Monk, George Fred Robinson and William H. Lucas, selectmen; Milton H. Jones, assessor for three years; Fred S. Pillsbury, assessor for one year; Adolph C. Ely and Arthur F. Gray, school committee for three years; and E. C. Robinson, park commissioner.

TAKE NOMINATION PAPERS

Candidates for Selectmen at Milton Securing Signatures as Result of "No Vote" Caucus

MILTON, Feb. 19.—The failure of the caucus Monday night to nominate has made it necessary for the five candidates for the board of selectmen to take out nomination papers. Yesterday morning Mr. Duffy and Mr. Barnes, the present members of the board, took out papers, and a few hours later Mr. Eason, Mr. Hatch and Mr. Jones, appeared and secured their papers. James R. Mitchell of Centre street said he had not made up his mind as to his future plans. The candidates for the board of auditors will also be obliged to take out nomination papers.

The surplus of votes over the 495 votes cast, resulting in the announcement of Chairman Roger Wolcott that there would be no choice, created considerable talk throughout the town today and may result in the adoption of the Australian ballot.

Although the caucus was not recognized, Henry H. Barnes was first to receive a flattering vote with Marjorie Duffy a good second. George R. Eason, who perhaps made the liveliest campaign of all, made a fine showing, but his vote did not come up to expectations. Mr. Hatch and Mr. Mitchell were non-committal last night, but were perfectly satisfied with the results.

Nomination papers require 50 signatures and will have to be filed with the town clerk by Friday evening at 5 o'clock.

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Just drop me a line saying when and where you want to go and I'll take care of you, and give you a lot of information.

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Try as you will after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loss or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes, but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine now will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it

through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an invincible lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

A Saloon on Wheels
NEWBURYPORT, Feb. 19.—Officers Fenders and Hayes seized a wagon on Fair street at about 6 last evening driven by a 15-year-old boy, the team containing a large amount of liquor that had been secured in Haverhill and which the police believed was being brought into the city for a man who has been before the court frequently for the illegal sale of liquor.

In all they secured 600 bottles of beer, 10 gallons of whiskey and five gallons of gin. The liquor was taken to the police station and the driver held until the identity of the owner of the team can be established.

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If you have a "stuck" bowen monthly now and then—a bad, breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Olive Tablets at bedtime. They're perfectly harmless.

"Thousands take one every night just to keep right. Try them."

"Every little Olive Tablet" has a movement all its own." 10c and 25c per box.

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SUE FOR LOSS OF SLEEP

Action Based on Building of Subway

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Alleging local prejudice and the interest of the great majority of jurors in the financial responsibility of the city as reasons why they could not get an impartial trial by jury in Suffolk county, Isaac Gerber, Morris Edelstein and Alice Schneider of the West End have asked to have the trial of their suits against the city of Boston transferred from Suffolk county to Norfolk county. Judge Hardy in superior court yesterday denied the motions.

Gerber, a tenant and a store at 51 Phillips street, Edelstein is lessee of the building corner of Phillips and Grove streets, and Alice Schneider is an owner of property in Grove street. Each has sued the city for damages arising from the operations incident to the construction of the Cambridge subway. They claim that the noise day and night interfered with their sleep and the quiet enjoyment of their premises. Light and air was also interrupted by the construction of a high platform while the work was in progress.

AGAIN SENT TO JAIL

Zelle Emerson, an American Suffragette Window Smasher in London, Committed for 60 Days

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Zelle Emerson, a militant suffragette of Jackson, Mich., who has been serving a campaign of window smashing in the East End of London in company with Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, was again arrested yesterday. She was immediately taken before the police magistrate and sentenced to a term of two months' hard labor.

Miss Emerson and her companions broke all the windows of the Liberal association at Bow's last night.

Miss Pankhurst also was sentenced by the same magistrate to two months' hard labor.

Miss Emerson, on Feb. 4, was sentenced to jail in default of payment of a fine of \$15 imposed for a similar charge, but her fine on that occasion was paid by a friend and she was released.

DEFECTIVE IS ATTACKED

Testimony at Second Darrow Trial Described to Impenach Bert II. Franklin

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 19.—Testimony designed to impeach Bert II. Franklin, former McNamara defense detective, who confessed having bribed jurors, was introduced yesterday in the second trial of Clarence S. Darrow.

Frank Dominguez of Los Angeles, an attorney associated with Clarence S. Darrow, until recently Darrow's chief counsel, and Gordon C. Watt of Helena, clerk of the Montana senate, were among the principal witnesses.

Dominguez testified Franklin had told him that Darrow was not connected in the bribery of the McNamara jurors.

Watt, who formerly lived near Los Angeles, testified that Franklin told him the district attorney was only holding the charges over him (Franklin) to make him "testify against Darrow," who was the man they wanted to get.

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BASEBALL AND
FIELD SPORTS

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BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

DOUBLE HEADER PLAYED

In the Baraca League

Last Night

FIRST BAPTIST AND TRINITARIAN
TEAMS ROLLED SIX STRINGS

Each Team Took a Game—Other
League Games Rolled—Many Inter-
esting Contests, With Good Scores

There were two games played in the Baraca league last night, the First Baptist team defeating the Trinitarian Congregational in the first game by nearly a hundred runs, while in the second match between the First Baptist and the Trinitarian team was high man with a total of 318.

The Calvary Baptist team took the measure of the Swedish M. E. bowling team in their game last night in the Baraca league. F. Schonborn of the Calvary was the highest, three string roller with a mark of 339.

The Plumbers won their match with the Parcel Post team in their Brunswick league game by the score of 113 to 133. Flesman rolled high with 311.

The scores of all the matched games and their summaries are as follows:

TRINITARIAN CONG.			
	1	2	Totals
Barlow	70	92	162
Turnbull	82	81	163
Ferguson	97	36	133
Hills	102	82	184
Brown	96	85	181
Totals	426	423	849

FIRST BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Willis	95	87	182
Chapman	85	83	168
Woodman	84	102	186
Johnson	99	96	195
Bowen	87	90	177
Totals	470	470	940

The score of the second game:

TRINITARIAN CONG.			
	1	2	Totals
Barlow	83	87	170
Turnbull	125	95	220
Ferguson	84	81	165
Hills	102	82	184
Brown	112	92	204
Totals	510	440	950

FIRST BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Willis	98	91	189
Davis	77	91	168
Johnson	92	94	186
Bowen	81	94	175
Totals	451	450	901

SWEDISH M. E.			
	1	2	Totals
H. Johnson	77	96	173
G. Lawrin	81	89	170
H. J. J. J.	102	82	184
F. Schonborn	95	93	188
A. Schonborn	86	76	162
Totals	441	442	883

CALVARY BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Myrick	86	79	165
Davis	92	94	186
Phinney	85	84	169
Perlin	98	95	193
Noody	88	92	180
Totals	459	444	903

PLUMBERS			
	1	2	Totals
Hessian	108	100	208
Quirk	97	92	189
Devine	82	84	166
Shapard	82	81	163
Burns	83	100	183
Totals	453	457	910

PARCEL POSTS			
	1	2	Totals
Ivers	86	107	193
Maguire	87	112	200
Slattery	82	91	173
Turnquist	91	84	175
Willis	96	96	192
Totals	442	490	932

TEAM SIX			
	1	2	Totals
Beauregard	93	94	187
Kilpatrick	88	91	179
Totals	181	185	366

TEAM SEVEN			
	1	2	Totals
Bourke	107	99	206
Craze	97	95	192
Totals	204	194	398

MCARTHUR'S PETS			
	1	2	Totals
Sullivan	82	83	165
Campbell	87	88	175
McCarthy	87	85	172
Willis	87	85	172
Bomers	93	97	190
Totals	440	452	892

COLE'S WONDERS			
	1	2	Totals
Cole	102	99	201
Hall	87	107	194
Helliwell	95	75	170
Shay	101	100	201
Dekey	103	100	203
Totals	500	481	981

MULLIN'S PETS			
	1	2	Totals
Mullin	89	84	173
McLaughlin	83	73	156
Slattery	77	74	151
Slattery	82	84	166
Duffy	84	78	162
Totals	415	394	809

MONETTE'S GLOOMS			
	1	2	Totals
Monette	69	78	147
Boett	74	74	148
Haffkens	82	88	170
Leaver	87	81	168
S. Matley	72	72	144
Totals	371	391	762

WAMESIT			
	1	2	Totals
Lyneess	100	79	179
Hamberton	82	87	169
Haffkens	82	88	170
J. McKinley	81	86	167
Lees	97	108	205
Totals	448	458	906

MERRIMACK VALLEY			
	1	2	Totals
Chadwick	93	80	173
Nichols	82	82	164
Alson	89	82	171
Chapman	112	82	194
Totals	476	426	902

DRAFTSMEN			
	1	2	Totals
McKintick	86	79	165
Seakies	84	80	164
Judd	77	81	158
Goodchild	77	80	157
Silcox	82	89	171
Totals	406	421	827

OFFICE			
	1	2	Totals
Hammord	79	87	166
Hale	76	83	159
Farrell	79	83	162
Phinington	74	87	161
Baker	82	89	171
Totals	388	433	821

REDS			
	1	2	Totals
Cook	74	75	149
Hoot	78	73	151
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Gill	75	79	154
O'Loughlin	78	85	163
Totals	420	498	918

BLUES			
	1	2	Totals
Leonard	63	87	150
Brackert	76	79	155
Riglow	76	80	156
Rowe	63	68	131
Corbett	78	75	153
Totals	355	405	760

WASHINGTONS			
	1	2	Totals
Henshaw	74	77	151
Wilkes	77	77	154
Flanagan	77	77	154
Fovey	83	81	164
McMahon	83	111	194
A. Doyle	122	85	207
Totals	520	551	1071

SILENT KNIGHTS			
	1	2	Totals
Harrington	79	85	164
Hilgerson	79	74	153
McGovern	83	80	163
A. McMahon	75	77	152
B. McMahon	85	83	168
J. McMahon	86	82	168
Totals	495	495	990

ELECTRIC ENUNCIATORS AT BALL PARK			
	1	2	Totals
Henshaw	74	77	151
Wilkes	77	77	154
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JOHNNY MCGRAW AND HIS NEW YORK

GIANTS READY TO START SPRING TRAINING

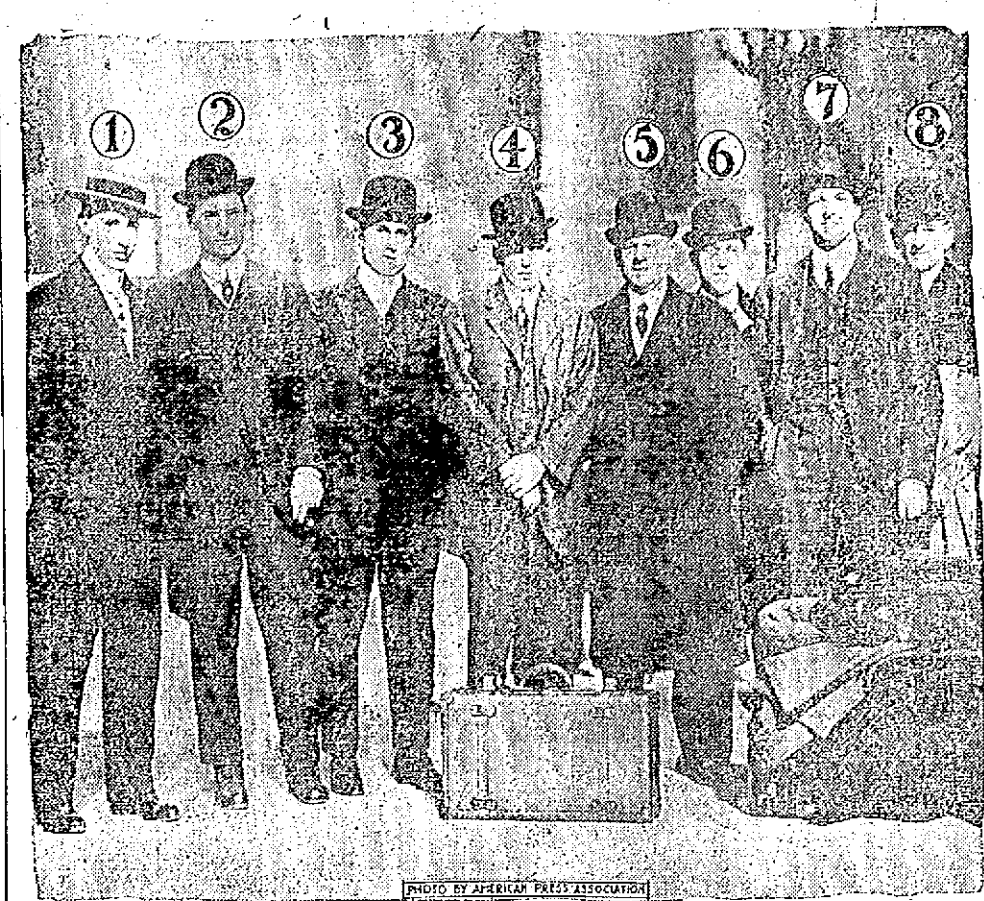


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NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Johnny McGraw and his Giants were the first big league baseball team to start for the spring training camps. The New Yorks are due to arrive at Marlin, Tex., their preparatory grounds, Feb. 21. En route McGraw stopped off at St. Louis long enough to pick up a number of other members of the team. McGraw is a great believer in starting training stunts early.

When questioned about the personnel of the Giants the little manager said: "We ought to be very strong in the box, especially if Marquard is in shape to begin the race at top speed. The rest of the team should profit by last year's experience. I haven't the slightest idea what will be done with Jim Thorpe, but I have an idea he may show something in the outfield. I prefer big men and fast men for my ball club, and Thorpe at least combines both qualities. Whether he can play major league ball or not is something we must find out at Marlin." Picture shows members of the club who left this city recently to go to Marlin. They are as follows: No. 1, Joe Evers, brother of famous Johnny, new manager of the Chicago Cubs; No. 2, Catcher Hartley; No. 3, Pitcher Goulat; No. 4, Joe Thompson; No. 5, Manager McGraw; No. 6, Tom Ratty, McGraw's companion; No. 7, Christy Mathewson; No. 8, Dr. Biers, the team's dentist.

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Taft to Madero

That portion of the press which has striven to stir up the passions of an excited public since the Mexican uprising, by referring to President Taft as "a man of straw," may find nothing to admire in the firmness and good sense of the message he has addressed to Pres. Madero of Mexico, regarding the policy of the United States. On the other hand the more conscientious part of the press, and the sane judgment of public opinion, will find that the president has taken the wisest course possible, and in doing so sacrifices neither American business nor American dignity.

Madero, it would seem, took the advice of the president to the army and navy to mean that America meant to intervene at once in Mexican affairs. He protested against this with the result that the president in his note says, "Fresh assurances of friendship to Mexico are unnecessary after two years of proof of patience and good will." This is stating the situation calmly but firmly. While the president's message has a vein of sincere sympathy the dominant note is one of firm protest. This is not the time for a fawning or suppliant attitude. America does not say, "Pray spare the lives and property of Americans." She says rather, "You must save them. We have long been patient."

As to the landing of American troops the president makes no promises to refrain from doing so but alludes to his orders to the army and navy as "measures of a natural precaution." Without doubt the president cannot fail to see the far reaching consequences of intervention in Mexico, and does not mean to act hastily. That portion of the press and public whose honor is super-sensitive, would be the first to deplore and condemn the action of the government if hasty intervention in Mexico had embroiled us in years of warfare and misunderstanding.

The president says, "The present paramount duty is the prompt relief of the situation." In this he makes plain that America is seeking to end the Mexican trouble, is actuated by the principles which as a nation we have always preached and not by cupidity or a desire for territorial extension. In all its particulars the note to Madero voices the sentiment of the people of this country, and it is to be hoped that the policy outlined and advocated therein will guide the trend of public discussion in this delicate situation.

The note will probably do a great deal in solving the future procedure of the opposing parties in Mexico, as far as their relations with us are concerned. Not only Madero but Diaz will now understand that so long as they hold American interests sacred, there shall be no intervention, but as the continual disturbance has created in this country "extreme pessimism" regarding their desire or ability to protect our people, a violation of their duty regarding American interests will be met with intervention regardless of consequences.

Now that Madero is arrested by the federal army it is probable that Diaz will be master of the situation until the army turns against him in favor of some other leader.

INAUGURATION HOTEL RATES

A resolution has been offered in the house by Representative Johnson of Kentucky, to prevent the restaurants, hotels, and such establishments of Washington, charging any more than the usual amount during inauguration week. It is doubtful that congress will take kindly to the measure, but of its popularity there can be no doubt. Those who intend to journey to the capital would, if in their power, compel the restaurant and hotel keepers to keep their charges within reach. Still it is questionable if congress would have a moral right in imposing such a measure as the rise in prices is governed by the same law that regulates supply and demand in every branch of business.

The people who go to Washington to see the inauguration must expect to spend more during inauguration week than at other times. Enthusiasm makes the extra bit a little more sweet. Congress itself makes appropriations for a suitable celebration of the occasion. It is doubtful that if it is a good or just policy to forbid the rise in prices that is a sure feature of the time. When the law deals with this in a proper sense, and as it affects business in general, the time will be ripe for reform, but it is not consistent that the hotels and restaurants of any one city at any one time, should be discriminated against. No matter how unjust the exorbitant prices are we must make up our minds to pay them willingly, remembering that "there are no gains without pains."

VERMONT'S BLUE SKY LAW

The public sentiment against false investment schemes is rapidly finding

expression in laws to limit the powers of promoters and companies seeking public investment. Vermont has just passed a law, known as the "blue sky law," similar to the law already operating in Kansas, which turns all such companies over to the supervision of the state. The Vermont bank commissioner must in future investigate any company that solicits public investments. If the scheme is found to be legitimate a license will be issued, and no company shall be allowed to do business without a state license.

This law seems just in every particular. It cannot injure legitimate business, which is in fact protected by any regulation that will destroy illegal competition. It will operate to protect the citizens of that state from the swindlers who have for years robbed the public by false investment schemes. It will put the responsibility for this business on the state, which by its refusal to issue a license to dishonest financiers, has the means of protecting the citizens at large. Massachusetts has long been a prey to professional swindlers and the adoption of such a law seems to be the only way in which such transactions can be prevented. It will be but a matter of a short time until every state in the Union will be compelled to take example by Kansas and Vermont in passing laws such as the "blue sky" law.

ENVER BEY

A despatch from Constantinople tells of the attempted assassination of Enver Bey, the leader of the Young Turks, who rose to power recently on the fall of the ministry. Perhaps more than any other incident this shows the hopeless disorganization of the Turkish army. In the public indignation and disappointment following the advice of the ambassadors in London to give up Adrianople and the Aegean Islands, Enver Bey and the Young Turks gathered the scattered forces and made a last show of bravado. The fight is still going on but is almost one-sided. Were it not that the fortresses of the Turks are almost impregnable, because of their natural situations, and defenses, the war would be over long ago. The attempt by the soldiers on the life of the self-constituted leader, Enver Bey, denotes that the enthusiasm kindled by the consciousness of a despairing situation is dead or dying. Gradually the stern facts are being brought home to the people that they are about to lose far more than what they regarded as the extraordinary sacrifices advised at the London conference. It is probable that the attempt on Enver Bey is only a warning of the scenes to be witnessed when the fanatical Moslem at last realizes that his reign of terror in Europe is a thing of the past.

WANT TO FIGHT MEXICO

There is something pathetic in the plea of the government prisoners of Montez Island, who beg for permission to go to war with Mexico, if America should deem it advisable. The open letter they have written would gladden the heart of Rudyard Kipling. In it they plead for the chance to redeem their character by proving to the country that their loyalty is not dead. They declare that from the prison could be recruited a force that any officer would be proud to lead into the field. They tell how some of them made good in their baptismal fire in Cuba, China, and the Philippines. The most significant part of the letter reads: "Many are here because they are not garrison soldiers. They are fighting men. The monotony of life at a post was too much for them." This reads like a chapter of "Plain Tales From the Hills."

A picturesque figure has passed in the death of Joseph Miller, the poet of the Sierras. His life was in keeping with his work, simple, heroic, and apart. In his poems he sang particularly of the plains and mountains of the west and he did more to make this region known here and abroad than any other author, with the possible exception of Bret Harte. Though in his life he showed some bitterness as he grew old, his poems were always full of the spirit of sunshine, happiness, and love. He will be missed by all who prize American literature, particularly by lovers of real poetry.

New Nickel Coming

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Coinage of the new nickel was ordered by Secretary McVane yesterday, despite objections of certain slot machine interests. It will be placed in circulation in the course of a week. The new coin will have an Indian head on the face and a buffalo on the reverse.

Senate Passes Seed Resolutions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Two resolutions, one calling on the postmaster general to furnish the senate the cost of distribution of seeds through the mail under frank and the other calling on the secretary of agriculture to inform the senate the cost of the seeds were passed by the senate yesterday.

Seen and Heard

"Say, Elzie," said Don, "why didn't Moses take a Jack rabbit into the ark?"

"I don't know," replied Elzie. "Why did he take a Jack rabbit along?"

"Because Moses never saw the ark," said Don, and the joke was on Elzie and the Jack rabbit.

"This dog of mine is some dog, let me tell you. He has a wonderful pedigree."

"I suppose you trace him away back to the dog Noah took into the ark?"

"Say, this dog's ancestors didn't go into the ark; he had a bark of his own."

A very mean trick was played a young man at a local hotel a few days ago. He had purchased a pound of candy (10 cents per lb.) for his girl and left it in the hotel office while he went to the bar to make himself good for the brewers. An hour later he returned to the office, recovered his candy and tripped lightly to the door. He found the candy box open, and the candy gone. He turned upon her Adams with flashing eyes. He couldn't explain because he knew nothing about it. The shift was made in the hotel office.

Here is one that Governor Bass tells with relish:

A young man married a pretty little widow, and the next day one of the lady guests gave a description of the affair at a meeting of the sewing society.

"And do you know," she continued, after giving a detailed account of the gown, presents and cake, "just as the bride and the bridegroom were about to be married, the minister said to the church warden, 'What in the world do you want to do with this couple?'"

"I don't really mean it," chuckled the warden, "but I want to know if you're going to be married, or if you're going to be a couple of fools." The warden knew the way.

Capt. Robert C. Ward, who is to retire from active duty in 40 years of it, said on the Campania:

"Yes, it is true that sea captains are sometimes annoyed by passengers who think they know more about navigation than the navigator."

"I know a captain to whom a passenger once said:

"What is this we are approaching, cap?"

"Hervert, sir?"

"No, cap, you are mistaken. Look at this map here. According to this map it's Fordham-on-Tyre."

The captain said nothing, and a moment later the passenger asked:

"Egg channel, sir?"

"Why, man, you're wrong again! The map gives it as Mellins channel."

"Three or four times this sort of thing went on. Then the passenger, pointing to a gull, said:

"What kind of a gull is that, cap?"

"Look at your map and find out," the captain gruffly answered.

WORDS

An unkind word was rudely, rashly hurled at one of our fairer sisters, whose heart was glad:

Like polished, barbed spear it pierced and stung.

Her smiles were tears and happy heart was sad.

A word of love, a smile, a handclasp true.

Was given one whose heart was torn with grief.

Like nothing, perfumed balm it soothed and healed.

The tears turned smiles, the heart found sweet relief.

—Clea A. Parker-Fulker, in R. S. Times.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Thaw at Work

Portland Express: Hard work at bookkeeping seems to be having a remarkable effect on the health and spirits of Harry Thaw. It is a pity that he could not have thought of this sure recipe for a normal and contented mind years ago when he had his freedom and before the unfortunate deed that was responsible for his present whereabouts.

Taft's Veto

Springfield Union: President Taft has vetoed the immigration bill because of the literacy test which it imposes, but so large was the majority which the measure received in congress that it is thought it may be passed over the veto.

It is to be hoped this will not be done. The literacy test would do no remedy against illis. It is extensively intended to correct it would add \$1,000,000 to the annual cost of enforcing our immigration regulations; and, more important still, it is a wrong provision, un-American in principle and likely to cause incalculable economic loss to the nation by excluding the best of the alien elements that come to us.

Militant Suffragists

Brockton Enterprise: Only a few years ago one could find Indians who had reached the years of discretion were supposed to behave most circumspectly and politely in public. At least, that is what the olden times in England are setting that theory all over. Their performances have

How my friends have multiplied these 30 odd years!



The H-O Company, Buffalo, N.Y. Makers of H-O Force and Presto.

THE GOVE CO. Wholesale and Retail Milliners, with stores in Lawrence and Haverhill, has bought out Gregoire's Millinery Store. Wait for the big clean-up sale of the Gregoire stock, starting Feb. 22nd.



AT THE CLUB

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reached the point where they are no longer even to be passed as miserable attempts at jokes. They destroy property, fight, cause fires, break glasses, as some of them are veritable hoodlums, as much so as the male 'Hooligans' who have been the despair of London at times. The performance of Friday, when two women dancing 'Votes for Women' banners strove to force through the police the entrance to the memorial service to Capt. Scott and his band at St. Paul's in London, was the extreme of indecency. It is charitable to suppose that some of these women have had their heads turned by the excitement and fury of the through which they have passed. Otherwise there is no excuse for them and they are disgracing their cause and their sex.

Engineering Triumphs

Lynn Item: Engineering triumphs, such as would have been called great only a few years ago, but now get little world attention, are the two tunnels which cutting through the Pyrenees has been completed within a few weeks. One of them will be a link in a line from Paris to Cartagena, the Spanish port facing Oran on the African coast and only 100 miles away, and where will be the terminus of the railway which will connect Algeria with Fez and the Atlantic coast of Morocco with the Mediterranean.

Wild Birds

Boston Post: On the 22nd of January, in response to a tremendous outpouring of public sentiment and newspaper advocacy, the federal government giving the federal government control over all our migratory birds, was passed unanimously by the United States senate. It is now awaiting a vote in the house.

The time for a decision upon any measure is now short. Have any good bill may be introduced in the great rush of the closing days of a congress has been sadly proven many a time. This bird bill, which is of no ordinary interest to all our citizens, would doubtless pass if it could be put on the active calendar. Perhaps a new campaign of letters to members of the house of representatives would turn the trick.

"Uncle Joe"

Worcester Post: The banquet to "Uncle Joe" Cannon in Washington, Saturday night, was a most interesting and speeches and prayers from Pres. Taft, Chief Justice White, Speaker Clark, Leader Underwood and all of the rest, looking forward to the collection of the uprising of sentiment against him two years ago. But that was just because of what Cannon represented. The tributes now to his qualities as a man are equally deserved.

British Strikely Severe

Foster's Daily Democrat: The British people—their coalition government and the opposition are going hand in hand in this matter—are having a great night. The night is a most interesting and speeches and prayers from Pres. Taft, Chief Justice White, Speaker Clark, Leader Underwood and all of the rest, looking forward to the collection of the uprising of sentiment against him two years ago. But that was just because of what Cannon represented. The tributes now to his qualities as a man are equally deserved.

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SECOND HAND CLOTHIERS

Given Hearing Before License Commission

The recent arraignment of several men for keeping second hand shops without licenses gave rise to the hearing at the meeting of the board of license commissioners last night at which the principal business was the noting of remonstrances from the police department against the granting of licenses to these men.

Dealers in second hand clothing seem to be of the opinion that they do not require a license to conduct a business and too, they have been neglecting to fulfill the law by reporting the property received by them. Consequently there are several cases now pending in the police court against men who are charged with offenses of this kind. They were present last night and at the conclusion of the hearing in their cases, most of the licenses were finally granted and the applicants promised to be good and obey the law in the future.

Among the other licenses applied for and acted upon at the session of last night were the following:

Licenses to buy and sell second hand clothing granted to Harry Levy, 231 Boston street; Morris Schulman, 321 Middlesex street, and Isaac Zelin of 360 Broadway. The application of Jacob Gelkman of 375 Middlesex street was tabled and he was given leave to withdraw.

Applications for hawkers and peddlers' licenses granted to Joseph Emond, 641 Market street; Albert Provencer, 91 Arch street, and William Boissoneault, of 75 Parker street.

Common victualler's license granted to Elizabeth Wynne of 177 Church street. The license of John Durand, of 251 Canal street, was surrendered and ordered cancelled.

The application of Constantine Loosakos for the transfer of a billiard and pool license from 159 Moody street to 382 Suffolk street, was granted.

The application of Kinder Hassan for a transfer of his license to sell ice cream, fruit, confectionery, etc., on the Lord's day, from 240 Middlesex street to 183 East Merrimack street, was granted.

Applications for the renewal of auctioneers' licenses were granted to Abel R. Campbell, of 417 Middlesex street, and to Walter E. Guyette, of 52 Central street.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Betsy Ross Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R. was held last night and during the session the members transacted considerable business of an important nature. March 4 has been set as the date for the next gathering.

Loyal Victoria Lodge

The members of Loyal Victoria Lodge, I. O. O. F., met in regular session last night with a very large attendance for bringing in a large number of new members. Sister Bamford received an Odd Ladies' Pin. An entertainment including excellent piano solos by Sister Mary Joy was enjoyed. On February 27, the staff association will meet with Mrs. Ada Fletcher at 30 Cosgrove street.

Garfield Colony

Garfield Colony, No. 34, U. O. F. E. held its regular meeting last night and observed its 31st anniversary with an informal celebration. There was a luncheon and entertainment and addresses delivered by officers and members. In the business session, the treasurer reported that the beneficiaries of the late Bluma Randall and Dr. Bartlett had received the amounts for which they were insured.

Mustaches at Harvard

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The mustache, whether it be thick or shaggy or sparse and wiry, is an outward indication of brains, culture and wisdom at Harvard. Everywhere at the university is the habit of growing a mustache, and the students who spend their vacation hours in cultivating hair tips may be pardoned for their seeming over-diligence, since the professors at Harvard wear lip fringe almost to a man.

THE GREATEST MONUMENT TO THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY

EVERY patriotic American carries a monument of admiring remembrance to George Washington in his heart; so that even without a statue or obelisk standing in his honor the name of the first president would still be unforgotten. But all humanity requires the outward and visible form for that which it inwardly feels; hence, the Nation has long since erected the greatest shaft in the world to the man who was certainly one of its greatest commanders—both in war and in peace.

Long before the death of the Father of his Country, the Continental Congress had decreed that "an equestrian statue of General Washington be erected at the place where the residence of Congress shall be established. It shall be supported by a marble pedestal, in which must be represented four principal events of the war in which he commanded in person."

However, the passage of the act was not followed by any legislative action looking to its practical execution. Sixteen years elapsed before this ambitious project even took sufficient hold on the people to be even seriously considered. In 1799 John Marshall made a motion, in the House of Representatives, that "a marble monument be erected by the United States, at the City of Washington, and that the family of General Washington be requested to permit his body to be deposited under it." A committee was appointed to carry out the project and Mr. Henry Lee was made its chairman.

It directed that the resolutions of the Congress of 1783 be carried out and the inscription approved by it be engraved upon the base of the monument. This report was, however, amended by the House as a whole in favor of a "monument of American granite and marble, in pyramidal form, one hundred feet square at the base and of a proportionate height."

On New Year's Day, 1801, the House of Representatives passed a bill appropriating the sum of \$200,000 for the monument, and the people in general thought that at last it would be started. But statesmen of yesterday seem to have been as proficient in delaying matters of legislation as their sons of today, for the Senate failed to concur in the act and the entire project was allowed to languish through the stirring years leading up to the War of 1812. Indeed, more than thirty years elapsed before anything definite was done toward erecting the monument or even deciding upon a design.

In 1833 the Washington National Monument Society was founded by several patriotic men of Washington, who had become disgusted with the procrastination of Congress. These public-spirited citizens determined to have a statue, or monument of Washington if it had to be obtained without the aid of Congress. John Marshall, the great Chief Justice, though nearly eighty years old, was chosen as the first president of the Society and Judge William Cranch, eminent as a jurist, became the first vice-president. With a board of thirteen managers they obtained subscriptions enough to start the achievement. In 1838 Congress, probably through a sense of its own impotence, authorized

the Society to build the monument and the present site was selected—no doubt because it was the one picked out by George Washington in 1795 as suitable for a revolutionary monument he had hoped to see erected.

No restrictions were placed on the plans for the monument, so far as regards the design or form of the sculptor; and a great many—some of them of almost grotesque proportions—were

presented so perfectly carried out the desires of its creators. Yet even the Mills' conception was far more be-trimmed and ornamented than the monument as it appears at present. The first design provided for a shaft 600 feet high, to be surmounted, at the height of one hundred feet from the ground, by a Corinthian colonnade encircled by groups of equestrian statuary. Over the

at last the long simmering patriotism boiled up and over! The populace acted as frenzied as a typical French mob. Seizing the long ropes which had been attached to the truck, thousands of people dragged it along the entire length of Pennsylvania avenue to Fourteenth street and southward to the bridge crossing the old Canal and making an island of South Washington.

Here the public's zeal proved greater than its wisdom, and, every one putting on mass, the combined weight of people and marble broke down the further end of the bridge. The embryo colossus was dumped into the water and there reposed until mechanical appliances could be brought from the Navy Yard to drag the stone from its watery bed.

The President of the United States is always president of the Monument Society, so James K. Polk presided over the cornerstone-laying exercises on July Fourth, 1848, of which the Grand Lodge of Masons of the District of Columbia had charge. A spacious chamber had been cut into the stone and lined with copper plate; it was made the repository for various charts, newspapers, maps, portraits, coins and documents.

Copies of the Constitution of the United States and the Declaration of Independence were the first papers laid in the recess. Then followed a large design of the Washington monument, with the facsimile of the names of the Presidents of the United States to date and of other men of prominence; an historical sketch of the monument since its inception; a portrait of Washington, from Stuart's portrait at Faneuil Hall, Philadelphia; a copy of the grant for the site of the monument under the joint resolution of Congress; Walter's New Guide to Washington—which is a rare curiosity in these days when what was then very far out into the country is now a vista of apartment houses and stores.

Also—all the coins of the United States, a coat of arms of the Washington family; a daguerrotype of General and Mrs. Washington, with a penny of 1783, the year in which the monument was first planned; astronomical observations for 1846; and various leading newspapers and periodicals all were worthy of a place in the little hollow.

From then on contributions poured in from banks, from school children, generous citizens, patriotic and fraternal societies and even from entertainments, until either the country's enthusiasm or cash was exhausted. The shaft had reached the height of 152 feet and there the stone workers had to put a full stop. In 1878 Congress made an appropriation for its completion and the actual work was put in charge of Col. Thomas L. Casey, of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.

As his report showed the monument to be more than safe, its foundations were deepened from twenty to thirty-eight feet and the eighty-foot square forming the base was broadened to one hundred and twenty-six and a half feet. But another change had occurred which not even skilled engineering could overcome. All the marble had been obtained from the same Maryland quarry to the time of the cessation of activities. When work was resumed this same quarry

was called upon to furnish the stone needed for completing the shaft.

But while Congress was debating, other people had been buying; all the marble from that particular section of the quarry was exhausted. So it became necessary to get it from another part and there was just enough difference in its veining, combined with the greater aging of the section already standing to make a distinct

ing a flawless great white marble with an eagle representing liberty, independence and virtue; two quills crossed and the words, "By deeds of peace" underneath; William Penn smoking the sachem with two war-battered Indians and, opposite, foaming horses trampling over a battle-ground and ships at sea—thus portraying the advance of civilization. The City of Philadelphia sent a stone

with a lion's mouth for a companion and the goddesses of Plenty and Justice in the background.

Nevada sent a stone with her name spelled out by great solid silver letters embedded in its surface. Gradually the cupidity of sightseers overcame their honesty until only one letter remained. This was removed to a place of safety and, to the utter chagrin of all sons of Nevada, the marble was gilded over so that now the silver State has her name picked out in gold—at least it looks gold!

Connecticut sent a dark brown stone typical of the Nutmeg State and Massachusetts proved herself possessed of an embarrassment of subjects by sending trophies from Bunker Hill, Salem, Hoxbury and Lowell.

Rhode Island has an anchor of hope on her tablet. California has something of everything conceivable and also the inscription "California, youngest State of the Union, befits her tribute to the memory of its father."

Sixteen cities, fifteen lodges of Free Masons, thirteen of Odd Fellows, seven Sons of Temperance, political organizations, fire departments, the Oldest Inhabitants Association of Washington, D. C., Sons of New England in Canada and Americans in Foo-chow, China, are represented in the monument by tributes of stone.

The Chapel of William Tell in Switzerland appropriately sent a tablet. The Temple of Aesculapius, the ruins of Carthage, the tomb of Napoleon at St. Helena and a library in Egypt are noted among the many inscriptions distinguishing the tablets which line the interior walls to nearly half the monument's height.

Slam has a single black stone bearing its name. The stone from Brazil contains a sparkling crown, because royally then ruled there. On a purple-veined marble slab dignified Persia tells in Arabic of her veneration for George Washington.

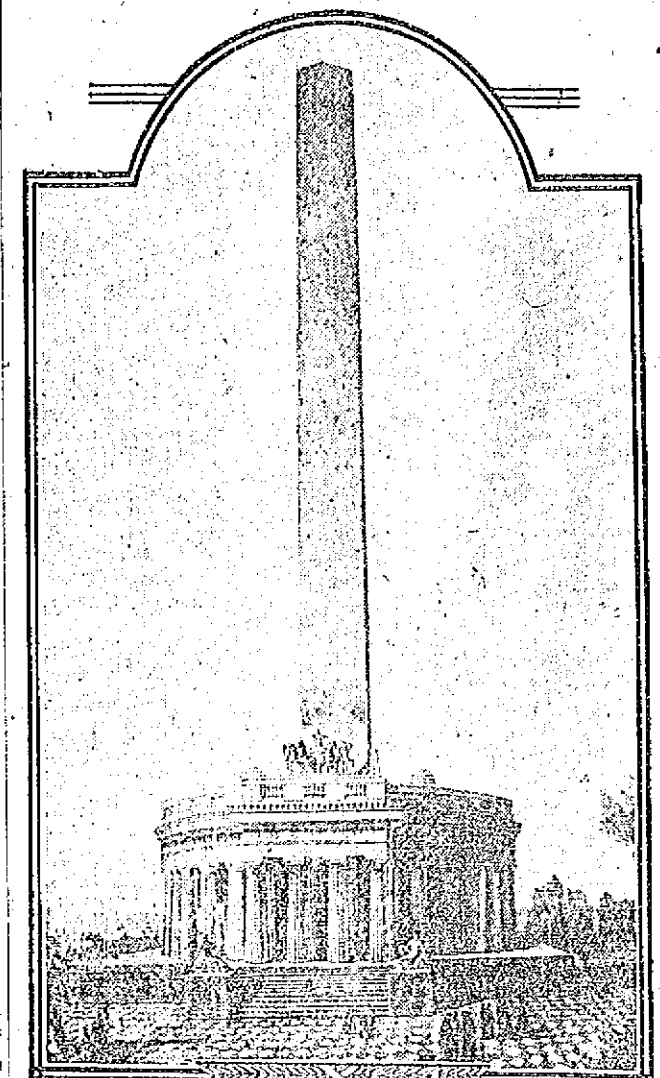
Greece sent a bill of marble from the Parthenon.

The practical workings of the mighty monolith will be of interest to the business man who would rather know that it costs \$11,820 annually to keep it in good condition than that the yearly average of tourists who go to the top, by subway or elevator, is about 155,000.

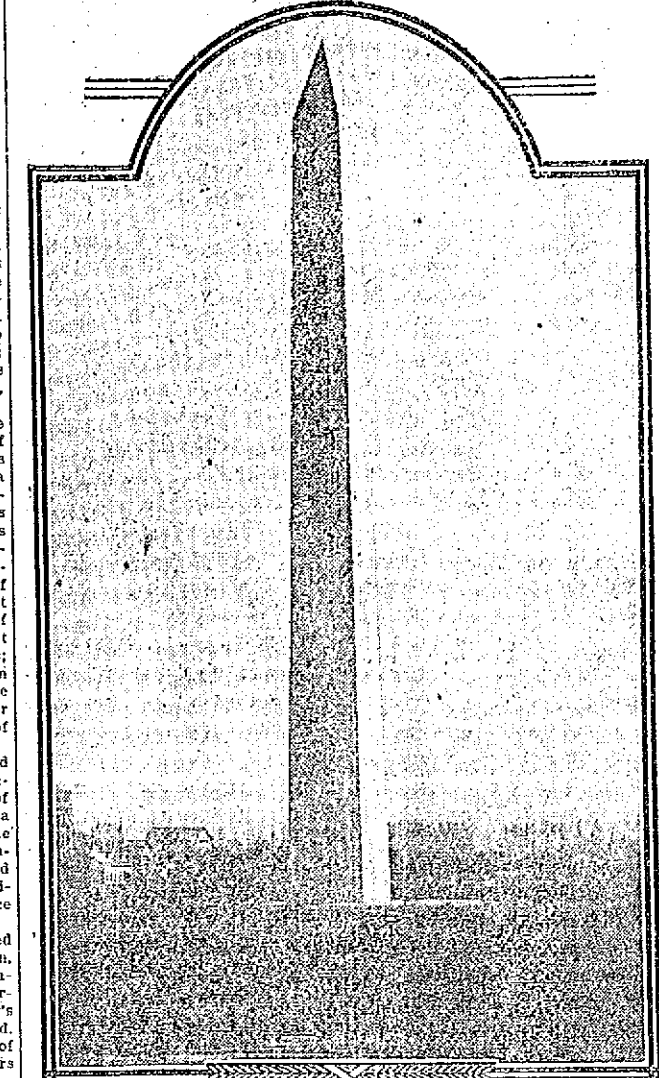
These facts were obtained from Spenser Crosby, Major, Corps of Engineers, and Colonel, U. S. A., who has charge of the management of the Washington Monument although, of course, the National Monument Society would be deferred to in event of any radical change contemplated.

As a matter of fact, only by a special act of Congress can any additional contributions be made, except tablets from the seven newest States. And these appear as strangely indifferent to the honor as were their early predecessors.

Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Colorado, Wyoming, Washington and Idaho have been notified that the monument is ready for their tablets. But they fail to respond. No individual name is allowed upon the tablets nor any inscription save that of the State name and some patriotic sentiment; so there is no great incentive for the self-laudatory type of American to hustle around collecting money for such tributes.



Original Design for the Washington Monument



The Monument as Finally Completed

received. Of them all, one by Robert Mills was selected. It called for a far more elaborate affair than the rugged monolith that has stood for so many years at the "back gate" of the White House. The Society had insisted that the successful plan must harmoniously blend "durability, simplicity and grandeur."

And a tourist of today, whether practical, fanciful or a cynic, gazing upon the five hundred and fifty-five feet of tapering whiteness that rears its cap so determinedly into the air, must admit that seldom has any com-

ported the designer planned to have Mills selected. It called for a far more elaborate affair than the rugged monolith that has stood for so many years at the "back gate" of the White House.

The cornerstone was laid with most impressive ceremonies following a series of mishaps. Out from a quarry at Cockeysville, Maryland, despite the oratorical plea of the eloquent Winthrop to "construct it of the peerless Parian marble," the huge block was brought to Washington on a special freight train and carefully placed upon a truck built to haul it to its present site.

and nationally humiliating marking where the newer portion was joined on.

Inside the monument there are 179 memorial stones, beginning at thirty feet and ending at 280 feet. Forty States are represented. Many world-famous spots have contributed romanticized bits of marble to honor the memory of Washington and beautify his monument.

Pennsylvania leads them all in the number and beauty of her contributions. Sixteen stones were sent by the Keystone State, the chief one be-

cut to represent a picture with a frame in hold relief.

Several of the States merely sent blocks with the State name in simple script. Little Delaware earned for her tablet a place among those which will never be forgotten by the tourist by inscribing on its pure surface under a bust of Washington, "The first to adopt will be the last to desert the Constitution."

New Jersey sent a very elaborately carved tribute depicting the life and products of her people—at that time, there is a splendid Minerva, a youth

who was the home of Stephen Jumel, whose widow married and divorced Aaron Burr. Several years ago it was purchased by one of the patriotic societies and restored and opened to the public.

His last love affair occurred in 1758, when he went to Williamsburg to consult a physician. While there he met Mrs. Martha Custis, the widow of Daniel Parks Custis, who had been one of the wealthiest planters in the colony. At that time Washington was twenty-six years of age and Mrs. Custis three months younger. She had been a widow seven months. With his customary promptness where pretty women were concerned he immediately fell in love with the widow and won her consent to an engagement. They were married on January 6th, 1759. Mrs. Washington brought her husband a fortune of \$100,000.00, which in those days was regarded as a large one. Various opinions have been expressed as to the character and temperament of Mrs. Washington, but he said what it may she charmed her husband to such an extent that their honeymoon at Mt. Vernon lasted for six months.

Washington had a distinct weakness for dancing, and rarely lost an opportunity even late in life to seek out the prettiest girl in the room for his partner. His diary shows that he attended "many balls and routs" in New York and Philadelphia, and when at Mt. Vernon he frequently went ten miles to Alexandria to attend a dance. During the Revolution, too, he amused himself while in winter quarters by attending dances, and once subscribed eleven dollars in gold toward raising funds for a series of balls at the camp. During his stay at his headquarters at Newburg, N. Y., where he remained from April, 1782, until August, 1783, Mrs. Washington came to grace the old house. Actual warfare had practically ceased although the army had not yet disbanded and was encamped at Temple Hill about five miles distant. There was little to do, so led by Washington the time was passed in social entertainments. Balls were frequent, and history tells us that Washington was the gayest of all the gentlemen, dancing nearly every set. Even at Annapolis, where he went to resign his Commission as the Commander-in-Chief of the Army on December 22nd, 1783, a dinner and ball was given in his honor. The dinner took place on December 22nd at Mifflin's Inn—a hotel which has now been converted into a business house and occupied by a theatre, newspaper office, confectionery store and restaurant. Until a few years ago the very room in which he slept could be seen by visitors. He opened the ball, which was held at the State House, with Mrs. James Macculbinn, one of the most beautiful women of her day, as his partner, for Maryland even at that early period and especially Annapolis was the home of many famous beauties. It is re-

corded that he "danced throughout the night and was the gayest among the gay." He was still a dancer in 1796, when he, as sixty-four years of age, but when invited to the Alexandria Assembly in 1799 he sent his regrets saying that his dancing days were over.

Washington was also fond of going to afternoon tea with the ladies, and when Mrs. Washington's friends dropped in for tea in the afternoon he was always present and delighted to sit with them for a talk—in fact, the records show that had Washington lived in the present age he would have been an ideal society man in every respect.

The room in the State House at Annapolis where Washington resigned his commission was restored under the direction of Governor Edwin Warfield during his term of office and is today one of the most noted of the many interesting spots in Maryland's historical capital. The building was erected some time between the years 1769 and 1773.

Fraunce's Tavern is another of the historic spots where Washington loved to linger. There he often held conferences, and there it was that he took final leave of his offices. The old Colonial building erected about 1700 still stands at Broad and Pearl streets in New York City. The property has recently been acquired and will in all probability be opened to the public as a sort of museum.

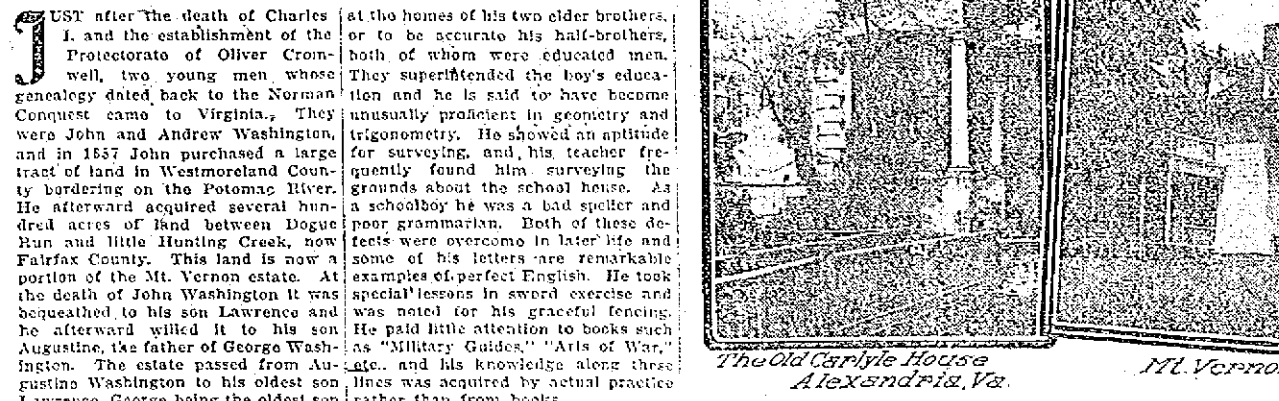
The history of his two terms as President are too well known to need repetition here. Then came his retirement from public life. A pretty story is told of the dinner which he and Mrs. Washington gave to John Adams, the incoming President. At the close of the repast Washington arose and lifting a glass of wine said "Ladies and gentlemen, I shall drink your health for the last time as a public man. I do so with all sincerity and wishing you all possible happiness." This broke up the festivities, and the company, many of whom were in tears, quietly departed. He at once retired to Mt. Vernon, the place he loved best in all the world, where he lived a private citizen until his death. He was accustomed to ride over the large estate every day and one December morning during a snow storm he contracted a heavy cold which developed into pneumonia and he died on December 14th, 1799. Thus passed from earth at the age of sixty-seven one of the great figures in history and a man who will ever remain the idol of the American people.

By his will Mt. Vernon was bequeathed to his nephew, John Augustine Washington, and in 1855 it passed to the latter's son. It was purchased from him by the Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association for \$200,000.00 and opened to the public for a small admission fee which goes to keep up the insurance, repairs, etc.

Where Washington Loved to Linger



Washington from the Gilbert Stuart Portrait, Martha Custis from an Old Painting, The Philadelphia Mansion, Yorkers, N.Y.



The Old Carlyle House, Alexandria, Va., Mt. Vernon

JUST after the death of Charles I. and the establishment of the Protectorate of Oliver Cromwell, two young men whose genealogy dated back to the Norman Conquest came to Virginia. They were John and Andrew Washington, and in 1557 John purchased a large tract of land in Westmoreland County bordering on the Potomac River. He afterward acquired several hundred acres of land between Dogue Run and Little Hunting Creek, now Fairfax County. This land is now a portion of the Mt. Vernon estate. At the death of John Washington it was bequeathed to his son Lawrence and he afterward willed it to his son Augustine, the father of George Washington. The estate passed from Augustine Washington to his oldest son Lawrence, George being the oldest son by the second marriage. Lawrence Washington married a Miss Fairfax of York and had four children, all of whom died in infancy, and George became the owner of Mt. Vernon by the will of his half-brother before he was twenty-one years of age.

Early in life Washington began a military career, for at the age of fourteen he was given a commission as midshipman under Admiral Vernon for whom Mt. Vernon was named. He was never permitted, however, to go to sea owing to the objection of his mother. His father died when he was but eleven years of age, and after his death young George seems to have passed the greater part of his time

at the homes of his two older brothers, or to be accurate his half-brothers, both of whom were educated men. They superintended the boy's education and he is said to have become unusually proficient in geometry and trigonometry. He showed an aptitude for surveying, and his teacher frequently found him surveying the grounds about the school house. As a schoolboy he was a bad speller and poor grammarian. Both of these defects were overcome in later life and some of his letters are remarkable examples of perfect English. He took special lessons in sword exercise and was noted for his graceful fencing. He paid little attention to books save as "Military Guides," "Arts of War," etc., and his knowledge along these lines was acquired by actual practice rather than from books.

Washington's mother lived to be eighty-three years of age, dying only ten years before Washington himself. During her entire life Washington spared no pains to see that she was made comfortable, and while he visited her at times these visits are said to have been short and frequently unpleasant owing to the complaining disposition of the old lady. Washington's family seems to have given him no little trouble to his brothers as well as his mother had a borrowing tendency and added to these were other family troubles for his younger brothers were unruly at school and his sister Harriet seems to have caused him no little concern on account of

her "lack of care for her clothing." At the age of nineteen Washington was given a position of honor and responsibility by the Virginia Government owing to Indian depredations. His military propensities increased with years, and when Governor Dinwiddie came to Virginia in 1752 Washington was made a major, and in 1751 he became a lieutenant-colonel. At the old Carlyle house at Alexandria, Virginia, which stands in the court yard of the once famous Bradstreet Hotel he held councils of war with General Braddock, and while the General thought well of the young man's military ideas he refused to listen to

his advice. It is well known how disastrously the expedition ended. In later years Washington frequently visited the Carlyle house and often recalled the war councils there.

The illustrious Father of his Country was always fond of the fair sex. Even as a schoolboy he delighted more in playing with girls than in romping with the boys. When but seventeen years of age he fell in love with Mary Carey and wrote love sonnets to her.

One of his most serious love affairs occurred in 1758, when he had occasion to go to Boston on military business. He stopped outside of New York. It had but lately been the home of Mary Philipse and her husband, Roger Morris, both of whom were Tories and had fled to England. Thus the old mansion is preserved a place in history not from the beauty of its mistress nor from the loyalty of its owners to the British Crown but from the fact that the gallant Virginia officer whose suit had been spurned twenty years before accidentally resided for a few days within its walls. The house is a fine specimen of Colonial architecture and was built in 1753 by Roger Morris. It, too, was confiscated by virtue of the strong Toryism of its owners. It afterward

became the home of Stephen Jumel, whose widow married and divorced Aaron Burr. Several years ago it was purchased by one of the patriotic societies and restored and opened to the public.

ACTION ON ESTIMATES DEFERRED

Appropriations Will be Taken Up Friday—Hearing on the Belle-Isle Petition

It was expected that the municipal council would take up the department estimates for the year at its meeting held yesterday, but action was deferred until the next meeting, which will be held next Friday. The meeting was scheduled for 2 o'clock but it was just one hour later when Mayor O'Donnell called to order.

The first business before the board was the petition of G. A. McIntosh to keep, store and use gasoline. The petition was granted. Similar permits were granted Edward W. Clarke and Charles A. Husbard.

Joseph F. Day asked permission to move a building in Tenth street and it was so voted. It was explained that the building in question was a large two-story barn.

Petition of G. Barker and others that Clitheroe street be extended, was referred to commissioner of streets and highways.

Notice of damage to the estate of Thomas Costello due to the bursting of a water pipe was referred to the commissioner of public safety.

Thomas Mooney's notice of personal injury due to defect in street, was properly referred as was also the claim of Melvina Strons for personal injuries.

Petitions of the Lowell Electric Light Co. for wire attachments in Chelmsford, Stevens, Third, Adams, Merrimack and Gorham streets were referred to Commissioners Donnelly and Cummings.

The petition of the Lowell Electric Light Co. for the erection of two poles in Adams street was set for hearing on Friday.

A communication from Dr. Lamoureux, secretary of the contagious hospital commission, relative to the proposed contagious hospital was laid on the table till the next meeting.

Ald. Cummings asked for permission to purchase, through the purchasing agent's office, material for his department amounting to \$1200. Permission was granted him.

The Belle-Isle Hearing

The petition of Victor H. J. Belle-Isle asking to be reinstated as constable was taken up. His reinstatement had been objected to by Constable Bernard F. Gately and Amadeo Jean.

Lawyer Albert S. Howard appeared for Mr. Gately and was first to be heard. He said that Mr. Gately had fled with the municipal council a statement setting forth his reason for objecting to Mr. Belle-Isle's reinstatement.

The following questions were asked Mr. Belle-Isle by Mr. Howard:

"Were you recently married for a third time?"

"Yes, sir."

"When?"

"The 30th of November, 1912, in Waltham."

"By whom?"

"A minister—don't know his name."

"Where did your wife live previous to her marriage with you?"

"In Billerica."

"She had been a resident of Billerica for a long time?"

"Yes, sir."

"Previous to your marriage you lived in Fletcher street?"

"Yes, sir."

Included in the rumor was the statement that Mr. Belle-Isle was now in the monument and granite business and because of that fact was unable to attend to the duties of constable.

"When did your second wife die?"

"Nov. 20, 1911."

"On the first day of January, 1913, were you a resident of Lowell?"

"Yes, sir."

"Were you a resident of Lowell when you applied for license as a constable?"

"Yes, sir."

In reply to Mr. Howard, relative to an automobile accident previous to his marriage, Mr. Belle-Isle said that in the machine with him at the time was his present wife.

"Anybody else?"

"No."

"Did you have anything in the machine?"

"Yes, a cat, a nigger, and—"

"You mean nigger statue," said Mr. Howard.

"Yes, that's what I mean."

"When you took those articles to Billerica it was your intention to give up your room in Lowell?"

"No—I had a furnished room in Lowell yet—at 521 Fletcher street."

"How many nights a week do you spend in Lowell at the present time?"

"About two nights a week."

"Your wife has never spent a night with you at your room in Lowell?"

"No, sir."

"As a matter of fact you are main-

CHELMSFORD

A large party of Chelmsford grangers have got together and intend to meet tonight with the Grange grange. A grand rally will be held at 7:30 o'clock. The chief speaker of the evening will be Mr. N. P. Hull of Michigan, lecturer of the National Grange. Mr. Charles Gardner, master of the Massachusetts state grange, will be present and will give a short address. State Overseer E. F. Chapman will also be present. This meeting is an open one, for the public whether patrons of the grange or not. The public is invited to join the Chelmsford party.

Mr. Leon Parker, a Lowell milk dealer, who has been confined to his bed on account of illness, is slowly improving.

The auxiliary of the woman's board of missions of the Central Congregational church held a meeting yesterday at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hollist on North street. The subject for this meeting was "China's New Day." Many women interested in this line of work were present with outside friends. A business meeting was held and Mrs. Hollist the hostess furnished refreshments.

The condition of Mrs. Arthur M. Warren, who is afflicted with pneumonia, was today slightly improved.

Mr. Frank A. Hudson has opened a garage in Chelmsford on the Lowell road near the railroad crossing.

The Chelmsford Boy Scouts held their regular meeting last evening in their headquarters at the North village. This troop is leading all other scouts in this vicinity in having their own headquarters and in the management of their affairs.

Civil Cases Tried

The case of Mary C. Hartly vs. John McEvoy, an action of contract, was tried yesterday at the civil session of the police court, Judge Enright presiding. Several witnesses were heard and at the close of the case the court reserved his decision to a later date. William A. Hogan appeared for the plaintiff, while the defendant was represented by George Allard.

Judge Fisher yesterday heard the evidence in the case of John Rabias vs. Zaker Hingon, an action of contract. A. O. Hamel for the plaintiff and J. J. Hickman for the defense. There was no decision, the court having taken the different testimony in consideration.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, wish to convey our profound thanks to the many friends who showed such comforting sympathy on the occasion of our sad bereavement on the death of our beloved husband and father. For the many acts of kindness and the beautiful floral tributes from his associates, friends and others. Only those in sorrow know the value of such proofs of true friendship.

(Signed) Mrs. Thomas H. Rodgers and Family.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE SUN'S DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



JUDGE M. A. KNAPP AND ACTING LABOR COMMISSIONER HANGER



NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Judge Martin A. Knapp of the United States commerce court and G. W. Hanger, acting commissioner of commerce and labor, who succeeded in conferences

RECLUSE LEFT \$100,000

John Fiske, Lived 30 Years in Shack

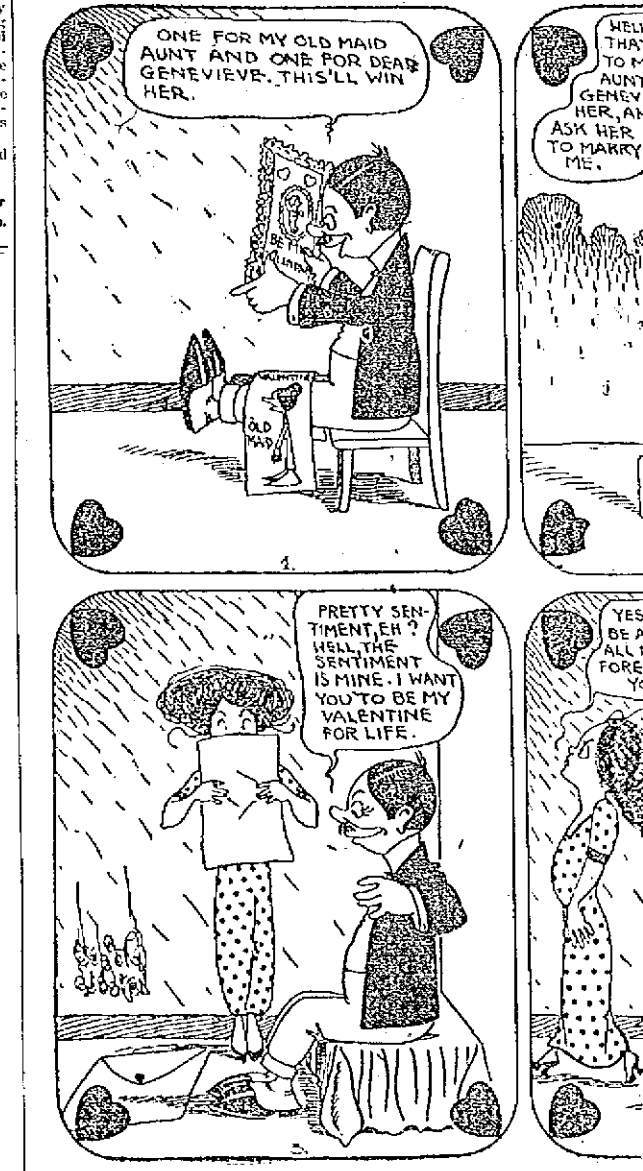
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—John Fiske, recluse and man of mystery, died suddenly and alone in his bedroom at 59 Grove street, in an isolated section of West Roxbury, yesterday, aged 90 years.

Haggardly clad and performing the hardest kind of manual labor daily, the spirit of his advanced age, he was the owner of six acres of land in the center of Mt. Ida section of Newton and valuable railroad stocks and was reputed to possess valuable real estate holdings in various suburbs of Greater Boston. Those associated with him in business estimate that his property was worth anywhere from \$100,000 to \$150,000.

Fiske made his home with James J. Feecey, caretaker of the property at 59 Grove street, for the owner, Judge Edward L. Logan of South Boston. Last Thursday the aged man complained of feeling ill, but apparently recovered and put in a hard day's work Monday. He retired early that evening and was dressed when Mr. Feecey entered his room, about 7:30 yesterday morning. He remained in his room, and Feecey, fearing that something was wrong, went into his room again about 12:30 and found his body undressed on the bed.

For almost 30 years Fiske lived alone in a one-room shack in the rear of

HER VALENTINE.



INTERESTS OF RAILROADS FUNERAL OF ANDREW LIDDELL

Were in Charge of Elisha Lee
Popular Veteran and City Hall Clerk Buried Yesterday



NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Elisha Lee, assistant to the general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad, has been chairman of the strike committee of the

BAY STATE NOT ASKED

Wilson Cabinet Will Not Contain Mass. Man

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Chairman Thomas P. Riley of the democratic state committee is of the opinion that Massachusetts will not be recognized in a Wilson cabinet.

"So far as I know, neither the claims of Gov. Foss nor of any other democrat in the state have been advanced for the cabinet," says he. "And furthermore, there has not been the slightest indication from Mr. Wilson that he intends to consider Massachusetts in making up his cabinet."

"No democrat leader in the state has been consulted or sent for by the new president. The democrats are also very much at sea on the question of federal appointments. No one has the remotest idea what policy the president will adopt in the selection of postmasters, collectors and other officials."

"Whether he will recognize the party organization in recommendations for these appointments, or whether the democratic members of congress will have the say, is still a question."

"If the party organizations throughout the country know as little about the intentions of Gov. Wilson as we do here in Massachusetts, then it is certain that Mr. Wilson has taken but few men into his confidence, least of all the party leaders."

WATERWAYS DISCUSSED

Newburyport Business Men's Association Hears Members of the State Board

NEWBURYPORT, Feb. 19.—The monthly meeting of the Newburyport Business Men's association, held at the Wolfe Tavern last evening, was devoted to a consideration of the Merrimack valley waterways question.

The association had as guests of the evening Charles C. Paine of Hyannis, member of the harbor and land commissioners and also chairman of the Valley water board; Lewis R. Hovey of Haverhill and A. B. Sutherland of Lawrence, the other two members of this board; Richard J. McCormick of Haverhill, clerk of the board; Daniel N. Casey, secretary of the Haverhill board of trade, and Robert W. Briggs,

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THE STATE EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

Report of the Three Offices at
Boston, Springfield and
Fall River

The sixth annual report of the state free employment offices at Boston, Springfield and Fall River has just been issued and makes interesting reading. The total number of positions filled in the six years ending Nov. 30, 1912, was 16,526, and the number for the respective years since 1906 being: 1907 to 1912, both inclusive, being as follows: 15,610, 14,955, 17,741, 20,574, 21,168, 26,587.

The positions reported filled by the three offices during the past year were:

Occupations	Males	Females	Totals
Agricultural pursuits	1,837	11	1,848
Professional service	44	1	45
Domestic and personal service	6,501	8,230	14,731
Trade and transportation	3,237	457	3,694
Manufacturing and mechanical pursuits	4,658	1,382	6,040
Apprentices	223	3	226
Totals	16,500	10,087	26,587

The Boston Office

In reviewing the work of the Boston office during the past year, the superintendent writes as follows:

I have continued to issue a monthly labor market letter, simply containing my remarks to a mere statement of facts as we saw them at this office. The labor market throughout the year has been exceedingly good, especially since June 1. Machine shop and foundry hands and building tradesmen have been in great demand and at times efficient workmen have been exceedingly scarce. There has been an increased demand for boot and shoe workers as compared with last year; this is partly accounted for by the fact that a number of shoe factories have been removed to Boston where help could be more readily obtained than in the more remote country districts.

Textile help (female) has been called

for to a considerable extent, chiefly from the mills in the Merrimack valley, and we have been able to supply a ready number.

The orders for garment workers and tailors (custom) show an increase over last year. We have built up considerable business in supplying dressmakers so-called, and while it takes as much time and expense to handle that business as many other occupations, we have been of great assistance to a certain class of women who could not very well get along without this service. Women who for one reason or another are not suited to factory or other kinds of work and must, on their own nights, need just this kind of employment. The demand for factory workers (female) has been excessive with a very limited supply. Most women who are housewives or factory workers; they insist on office or other light congenial employment, with short hours and Saturday half holiday. The commercial schools are turning out each year a supply of bookkeepers, stenographers, and clerks far in excess of the demand, and wages for help in those occupations have declined considerably during the past few years.

The Fall River Office

The Fall River office reports having placed 11,202 applicants in positions last year. Of this office the report says:

I submit the following to show the scope of field which this office is serving: Of the supply (persons seeking employment), 53 per cent. were from outside of their residence and 20 per cent. outside of the demand (persons called for), 73 per cent. were from Boston and 27 per cent. outside. We now have employers as far from twenty states outside of Massachusetts, also Bermuda and the British Provinces.

The demand in the skilled department (male and female) shows an increase of 22 per cent. and the positions reported filled, an increase of 33 per cent. over the preceding year. In the boys and minors' department, the demand increased 25 per cent. and the positions reported filled, 22 per cent. over the preceding year. The demand in the unskilled departments (male and female) also showed an increase of 16 per cent. and the positions reported filled, 15 per cent. over the preceding year.

Of the total number of male individuals who were offered positions (22,350), 58 per cent., or 12,950, were native born and 42 per cent., or 9,400, were foreign born. Of the total number of female individuals who were offered positions (8,156), 39 per cent., or 3,212, were native born and 61 per cent., or 5,944, were foreign born. Of the total number of male individuals who secured employment (8,614), 56 per cent., or 4,826, were native born and 44 per cent., or 3,788, were foreign born. Of the total number of female individuals who secured employment (3,221), 38 per cent., or 1,237, were native born and 62 per cent., or 2,221, were foreign born.

RECORD PENSION BILL

\$180,300,000 Measure

Voted in House

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A motion to strike from the bill a paragraph providing that after July 1, 1914, no pension should be paid to a non-resident not a citizen of the United States, except for actual disabilities incurred in the service, was carried, 154 to 112. It is estimated that something over \$1,000,000 is paid annually to veterans who would have been barred by this paragraph.

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BIG STRIKE IS AVERTED

Longshoremen Not to
Quit Work

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—All danger of a strike of the Boston longshoremen, dock freight handlers and steamship clerks is over, and the final settlement, with increased wages for the longshoremen and a continuation of all the old working rules for which those men insisted, will probably be made within a day or two with the steamship agents.

Yesterday the Trans-Atlantic Steamship Agents' conference held a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce. No information as to what took place would be made public, nor would it be stated whether International Pres. V. V. O'Connor and other officers of the longshoremen attended.

Last night at a special meeting of the Trans-Atlantic Steamship Clerks' union at Roughan hall the members voted unanimously not to longer insist upon the consideration which they have been demanding, released the longshoremen from their obligation to sustain the clerks, and left them free to settle the longshoremen's differences with the steamship agents, which have been pending since the strike of last year.

The clerks' requests have been the contention over which the final hitch between the agents and the longshoremen's committee occurred.

T. V. O'Connor, of Buffalo, international president of the A. F. of L. Longshoremen's union, with which the clerks' organization is affiliated; International Vice Pres. William M. Dempsey of this city and A. J. Chiope of Toledo and New England Organizer Frank H. McCarthy of the A. F. of L. were speakers at the meeting last night.

A special meeting of the A. F. of L. Longshoremen's trade council is called for tonight at Roughan hall, Charlestown. The meeting, it is believed, will instruct its committee to sign up with the agents' committee.

DRESS COST CAN BE CUT

Chicago Woman Says

"Wear Dress 3 Years"

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Madame Mary J. Hoes, president of the Chicago Dressmakers' club, and an authority because of her long experience, advanced a plan by which women may dress more cheaply.

Women are "dressing" much more cheaply now than in 1903, asserts Madame Hoes, but there is still room for a reduction in the high cost of dressing.

Wear Gowns Longer
"It is this," Wear your gowns three or four years instead of discarding them after the first year.

"There is no reason why a woman should not wear a gown at least three years, if she is careful," Madame Hoes continued.

"To do this a woman should plan her gowns for the season. The average woman can get along with five gowns, a day dress, a tailored suit, an afternoon gown, a reception gown and an evening gown.

"The gowns should be well made and of a conservative style. The trouble is with women they don't wear their dresses long enough. They cast them off after a year.

"A gown worn for three years won't be out of style if it is not a faddy one. Styles don't change rapidly. It is the fads.

"Establishing a system of having a set of gowns for the occasions I have named, and by gradually supplanting them every year or so by a new gown and making the other dresses second-best, women can cut down their clothing expenditure greatly, and no doubt increase their husband's peace of mind.

"I believe women will continue to grow more economical in dress and in house management the more they dabble in politics and see a practical side of life.

"Just a proposition of women using more sense in the selection of their styles and cloth. I believe that the activity of women in the presidential campaign last year taught them the sense they are now displaying.

Politics Good for Women
"The more deeply women become immersed in politics and practical affairs, the better will their business judgment become and the more economy they will exercise in all the matters of the house.

"When women learn to manage their households as well as their husbands manage large business concerns an effective blow will be dealt to the high cost of living."

Madame Hoes pointed out that the failure of the dressmaker, however long and extreme her career, is a popular use, shows the tendency of the women of the United States to economize by dressing conservatively.

Madame Hoes continued:
"American women have a real advantage in wearing American styles. They have almost entirely eliminated the expensive practice of falling back on Paris for their ideas in clothes.

"They have discarded the 'type' system for the 'individualistic.' They prefer a gown that suits them rather than one that suits some French woman.

"Of course I am a dressmaker, but I don't think it sounds like exploiting my line too much to say that women of the present day are more than ever employers of professional dressmakers, effecting a saving in the cost of their clothes."

JOHN DOE, ALIAS DOUGH
Urging Men to Adopt His Method of Increasing Their Weight—Eat More Bread, He Says

John Doe is causing as much talk about the city as if he were a member of the municipal council. John Doe or Dough is the mythical gentleman who handles Fleischmann's yeast. He is said to be a member of the Fat Men's club and to have the largest circumference of any member in the club. He uses Fleischmann's yeast and can testify to its raising qualities. He recommends it to all bakers and gives these reasons for so doing:

1st. Every man, woman and child sees the John Dough advertisements urging them to eat more bread. They are bound to think of bread. If you want them to think of your bread every time they see John Dough, advertise now, while the Fleischmann publicity campaign is in progress.

2d. You know how you have im-

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—AT—

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Facing John

One lot of a dozen tea sets; some to be discontinued, others are broken sets; all are beautiful patterns, highest grade, at 33 per cent. discount.

We have a large lot of trays, bowls, candelabra, fern dishes, spoons, knives, and forks, at special prices to close out. A lot of celery trays, water sets, vases, etc., all in fine cut glass, at 33 1-3 per cent. discount.

All strictly first class goods. It will pay you to purchase now.

proved your bakery in the past five or ten years. The public may not know. Tell them.

3d. You know how much care is bestowed in every stage of breadmaking, from mixing the doughs to delivering the finished product. Lots of good people are ignorant of the great strides that have been made by progressive bakers.

4th. You know that only the best and purest materials go into your bread. You know that you use Fleischmann's yeast. All these points can be profitably impressed upon the public.

5th. You know that the baking industry has been aided in its development by good, clean, powerful advertising.

6th. You know that for every dollar's worth of yeast a baker buys, he sells \$10 to \$50 worth of bread, so that you who are in the bread business will get 40 to 50 times as much benefit as the Fleischmann Co. out of every dollar's worth of increased bread business brought about by the John Dough—eat More Bread Campaign.

The point is, whether you have been in the habit of advertising or not, you can secure for yourself the greatest benefit from the Eat More Bread publicity work by advertising your bread and your bakery now while John Dough is in town. And you can get substantial results at a surprisingly small outlay, because every bread advertisement of yours, be it large or small, will have the effect of being larger, because it will be linked in the minds of the public with the big John Dough—eat More Bread advertisements.

It pays to advertise and now is the time it pays most.

TO REORGANIZE SYSTEM

Governor Foss Proposes

Changes in Prison Plan

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Following a conference with the Rev. George L. Cady on the prison situation in Massachusetts, Governor Foss yesterday announced that he proposed to reorganize the entire system.

It is also stated that it is expected that Prison Commissioner Warren Spaulding will resign should the bill giving him a pension be acted upon favorably by the legislature.

The Rev. Mr. Cady was recently before District Attorney Pelletier to explain charges which he had made against the prison system in this state, and yesterday conferred with the governor.

Governor Foss is getting together material for a message on prison reform which he believes will be second in importance only to his message on the railroad situation.

He plans to recommend a system by means of which prisoners shall be fairly compensated for their work, the money which they earn to be turned over to their families. He will also recommend a classification of prisoners on the basis of their mental and moral condition, and a system of reformation.

He also recommends that the prisoners be given a fair trial, and that the jury be given a fair trial.

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No odds how 'bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish intestines; you always get the desired results with Cascarets and quickly, too.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, constipation and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All druggists sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—the little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

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Cloaks, Suits, Dress Skirts and Waists

We have outgrown our store in the New Bradley Building in less than eight months and have taken the next store formerly occupied by W. B. Powrie's Specialty Shop. Carpenters, electricians and painters have been busy making two stores into one. Our entire stock, all new Fall and Winter styles, is included in this tremendous sacrifice. This is not a sale of odds and ends or shop-worn goods, but a genuine expansion sale of all our High Grade Garments. Come early for best selections while assortments are complete.

COATS
Women's Long Black Plaid Backs, worth \$5.00. This sale

\$1.98

MILLINERY
About 364 Trimmed Hats, all new Fall shapes. We are going to discontinue this Dept. This lot will be sold at about cost of making.

New Spring Suits
All the popular shades for Spring wear, worth up to \$18 and \$20.

\$10.98 and up
Here's your chance to save \$3 to \$5 on your new suit.

DRESSES
Women's White Dresses, newest styles, made to sell for \$7.50. This sale.....

\$3.98

Spring Coats
Just arrived from New York, about 275 New Spring Coats, made to sell for \$12.50. This sale

\$5.98

Children's Coats
All new Fall and Winter styles, worth \$3.50. Special sale price.....

69c

THE COATS
In this sale include Dressy Street Coats and models for semi-dress occasions, both colors and mixtures, Broadcloths, Serges, Diagonals and Rough Finished Worsteds, also Fancy Novelty Combination, Plain Tailored or Fancy Trimmed Styles. Former prices—

\$7.50 \$10.00 \$12.50 \$15 and \$18
Now Now Now Now

\$2.98 \$3.98 \$6.98 \$7.98

LARGE LOT OF
Children's Coats
All new effects, former prices \$1 to \$6.50. This sale

98c to \$1.39

Come and see these bargains.

3 Women's Long Fur Coats, Skinner satin lined, value \$25. To close out, \$14.00
Women's Bluffs, value \$4.00. To close out, \$2.98
Neck Scarfs.....98c and Upwards

A Good Time to Buy a
Dandy Serge Dress

About 43 to go at..... \$1.98
They were \$6.00 Dresses.

AT \$2.98 we are offering our \$8.00 lines of Dresses

AT \$3.98 we have picked them from our \$12 line, and now the price is..... \$3.98

LOTS OF WAISTS CHEAP
LOTS OF SKIRTS CHEAP

CAN YOU AFFORD TO MISS THIS?

UNITED CLOAK AND SUIT STORE
153-157 Central Street
New Bradley Building
EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES WANTED. APPLY AT ONCE

BAPTIST UNION MEETING
Held at Calvary Baptist Church Last Evening

A Baptist union meeting was held last night at the Calvary Baptist church and was largely attended. At 7 o'clock supper was served and an hour later the gathering adjourned to the auditorium, where addresses were made on the work of the church.

George H. Taylor of the First Baptist church presided and among those who spoke were: Rev. Robert L. Webb of Haverhill, who has charge of the Merrimack valley district missionary work; Dr. Warren C. Partridge of the Calvary Baptist church of Troy, N. Y.; Mr. George W. Coleman of Boston, and Dr. L. P. Haggard of Boston, home secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary society.

All the speakers devoted their remarks to missionary work, its accomplishment of the past, its labors of the present, and its plans for the future. They also referred to the \$200,000 campaign, which promises great results in the field of missionary work. They expressed themselves as most heartily in favor of the campaign and they said they hoped that their aims would be realized.

WM. CURTIS SURPRISED
On His Birthday By Tenants of Wyman's Exchange of Which He is Janitor

Tenants of Wyman's Exchange building got their heads together and planned and executed a very pleasant surprise yesterday in the form of a reception to William Curtis, the janitor.

tor, the event being the latter's birthday.

About 4 o'clock the tenants including the doctors, lawyers, dentists, etc. who occupy offices in the building gathered on the fourth floor and on some pretence or other Mr. Curtis was induced to go there. When he appeared, Dr. Plunkett presented him a handsome meerschaum pipe, beautifully carved and ten pounds of tobacco, in behalf of the tenants as a token of their appreciation of Mr. Curtis' faithful and efficient service. "Deacon" as Mr. Curtis is called, responded in a fitting manner and with a neat little speech. The affair was brought to a close with a brief entertainment which included the following numbers:

A quartet composed of Drs. Waller, Drin, Plunkett and Ailing; sang several songs; Mr. Hovey rendered a mandolin solo, accompanied by Dr. Waller on a melodeon; Dr. F. Pillsbury recited Kipling's famous poem, "The Ladies;" Edward Looney played "The Shepherd's Dream" on the clarinet, with an obligato by Mr. Hovey on the guitar. Dr. Waller accompanied on the melodeon.

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SETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 18,
1913. The Committee on Incorporation
will give a hearing to parties interest-
ed in H. R. No. 1662, for legislation
relating to the incorporation of
corporations as reciprocal or inter-insur-
ance, Feb. 20th, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.,
David T. Montague, Chairman, Joseph
Leonard, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-
SETTS. State House, Boston, Feb. 18,
1913. The Committee on Roads and
Bridges will give a hearing to parties
interested in petition No. 203, for the
improvement of Humphrey street in
the town of Swampscott, and House,
No. 125, special report of the Massachu-
setts Highway Commission relative to
the appropriation of the cost of
widening Humphrey street in the town
of Swampscott, at room No. 125, State
House, on Thurs. Feb. 20, at 10:30
a. m. Chas. Cabot Johnson, Chairman,
Boston Building, Clerk of the Commit-
tee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-
SETTS. Probate Court, in and for the
County of Middlesex, in the matter of
the estate of Rosie J. Hughes, de-
ceased, intestate, in said County, de-
ceased, intestate.
Whereas a petition has been pre-
sented to said Court to grant a let-
tuce administration on the estate of
said deceased to Charles A. Hughes, of
Lowell, in the County of Middlesex,
without giving a surety on his bond,
you are hereby cited to appear at a
Probate Court to be held at Cam-
bridge, in said County of Middlesex,
on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1913,
at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to
show cause if any you have, why the
same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby direct-
ed to file a public notice thereof, in
publishing this citation, once in each
week, for three successive weeks, in
the Lowell Sun, a newspaper pub-
lished in Lowell, the last publication to
be on one day, at least, before said Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Es-
quire, First Judge of said Court, this
sixth day of February, in the year
one thousand nine hundred and thir-
teen.
W. L. ROGERS, Register.

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GETS LIFE SENTENCE
Maine Man Admits Kill-
ing Mrs. Grant
BANGOR, Me., Feb. 19.—In the supreme
court yesterday James Cannon re-
tracted his plea of not guilty to the
murder of Mrs. Ethel Grant at East
Millinocket and pleaded guilty, re-
ceiving a sentence for life at state
prison.
The case against Charles Smith of
Enfield for the murder of Mrs. Natalie
Jacobs and her little child in West
Enfield, Aug. 25, was continued to the
August term at the request of attorneys
for the defense, because of the absence
of former Sheriff White, who is travel-
ing in Europe.

SWINGS AXE ON WIFE
Husband Leaves Her Dy-
ing—Shoots Himself
MONTONE, Feb. 19.—Charles Walton,
aged 37, for 15 years a letter carrier,
who disappeared from Malden Decem-
ber 27, leaving his wife and small
daughter at the family home in Med-
ford, walked into the office of Post-
office Inspector Letherman in the Fed-
eral building yesterday and surround-
ed himself.
Postoffice officials believed that Lynn
committed suicide, but he said he had
been hiding in Brooklyn. To the sur-
prise of Inspector Letherman, Lynn
announced that he had stolen money
from letters and had then become
despondent and died.
Arraigned later before United States
Commissioner Haynes, a formal plea of
not guilty was entered in Lynn's be-
half, and he was held in his own re-
cognition for a hearing next Mon-
day. Lynn then went to Medford to
see his wife and child, from whom he
had been separated nearly two months.

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jars, and a special large hospital size
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Accept no substitute. If your drug-
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jar. Postage prepaid.

Double Funeral
The double funeral services of
Miss Hannah Wood and Mrs. Mary
Pierce, sisters, who died away in less
than 24 hours difference, took place
Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the
undertaking parlors of E. L. Bennett,
in Lawrence.
Services were conducted by the Rev.
A. R. Dills.
The remains reposed in black broad-
cloth half covered caskets, with silver
trimmings. The inscriptions on plates
were: "Hannah Wood, 1833-1913," and
"Mary Pierce, 1834-1913."
The remains were brought to Lowell
Saturday morning on the S.11 Edison
train, and were interred in the Edison
cemetery.

Warn Public on Ads.
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Warning to the
public against advertisements of cor-
respondence schools declaring that thou-
sands of appointments are to be made
in the local post office service, was
issued by Secretary Stebbins of the
United States civil service yesterday.
The warning was sent to Mr. Stebbins
by General John C. Black, president of
the Civil Service commission.

Two Men Found Tampering With
Bangor & Arundel Railroad Wires
—Elude Deputy Sheriffs
BANGOR, Feb. 19.—Deputy sheriffs
on a locomotive had a chase for two
men found on a pole tampering with
the wires of the Bangor & Arundel
railroad, about 1½ miles north of
Houlton.
A section hand discovered two men
on a pole and notified the railroad of-
ficials, who sent officers on a locomotive
to the spot. The men had joined two
wires with a fine copper wire, and
the railroad service was out of
commission about 40 minutes.
Tracks of the two men were traced
for some distance in the snow, but lost.

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Warn Public on Ads.
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Warning to the
public against advertisements of cor-
respondence schools declaring that thou-
sands of appointments are to be made
in the local post office service, was
issued by Secretary Stebbins of the
United States civil service yesterday.
The warning was sent to Mr. Stebbins
by General John C. Black, president of
the Civil Service commission.

FOR SALE
FARM WAGON FOR SALE, WITH
hose attachment, also square wagon
and buggy without top, cutter sleigh.
Call and see me, John Kerle, 65 Teuth
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for sale. In good condition; new tra-
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regular \$2 two-hundred lb. dry
and cleanest place for storage in
Lowell. Telephone connection. O.
P. Frontless, 156 Bridge st.

GETS LIFE SENTENCE
Maine Man Admits Kill-
ing Mrs. Grant
BANGOR, Me., Feb. 19.—In the supreme
court yesterday James Cannon re-
tracted his plea of not guilty to the
murder of Mrs. Ethel Grant at East
Millinocket and pleaded guilty, re-
ceiving a sentence for life at state
prison.
The case against Charles Smith of
Enfield for the murder of Mrs. Natalie
Jacobs and her little child in West
Enfield, Aug. 25, was continued to the
August term at the request of attorneys
for the defense, because of the absence
of former Sheriff White, who is travel-
ing in Europe.

SWINGS AXE ON WIFE
Husband Leaves Her Dy-
ing—Shoots Himself
MONTONE, Feb. 19.—Charles Walton,
aged 37, for 15 years a letter carrier,
who disappeared from Malden Decem-
ber 27, leaving his wife and small
daughter at the family home in Med-
ford, walked into the office of Post-
office Inspector Letherman in the Fed-
eral building yesterday and surround-
ed himself.
Postoffice officials believed that Lynn
committed suicide, but he said he had
been hiding in Brooklyn. To the sur-
prise of Inspector Letherman, Lynn
announced that he had stolen money
from letters and had then become
despondent and died.
Arraigned later before United States
Commissioner Haynes, a formal plea of
not guilty was entered in Lynn's be-
half, and he was held in his own re-
cognition for a hearing next Mon-
day. Lynn then went to Medford to
see his wife and child, from whom he
had been separated nearly two months.

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Cessation of the Inhuman Warfare

SUIT AGAINST COAL TRUST ENDED

Government Dismisses Charges
Against the Philadelphia &
Reading Company

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Unless new proceedings are instituted the effort of the government to break up the so-called coal trust came to an end today when upon application of counsel for the government, the United States court here dismissed the suit of the United States against the Philadelphia & Reading Co. in which it was charged that the company was violating the commodities clause of the railway rate law. The government claimed that the railroad company was violating that section of the law which forbids a line from transporting commodities in which the company had an interest. The government sought an injunction restraining the railroad from transporting coal dug from its own mines and in this connection

named as co-defendants the allied interests of the railroad company. The order dismissing the suit was issued by Judge J. E. Satter of Ohio who is sitting temporarily in place of one of the judges who is ill. The court explained that the order is without prejudice and will not prevent the government from bringing another action on the same lines.

INJURED DURING STRIKE

Hearing on Petition of
John Connor

The bill introduced by Representative Victor Jewett of this city, which calls for compensation for Private John Connor, who was injured while performing his duty during the Lawrence strike, was given a hearing by the committee on military affairs at the state house in Boston this morning. The hearing took place at 10:30 o'clock and Rep. Jewett argued his bill. He said that at the previous hearing before the board of examiners no evidence had been introduced to show, on the part of the board, but what the injuries received in performance of duty were such that Private John Connor of Co. K, 6th regiment, should receive recompense from the commonwealth to the amount of \$75, including doctor's bill and wages he should have received.

The chairman of the committee on military affairs is Senator Woodward. A number of pension bills were also heard in the morning by the committee on cities among them being nine concerning firemen. The committee took no action or decision on any of the bills and will not do so until an executive session is held at which time the members of the committee will talk matters between themselves.

Telegraphic Briefs
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Edward F. Mylius, the English journalist convicted of libeling King George V. of England and detained by the immigration authorities at Ellis Island, was given permission today by Federal Judge Cox to enter the United States.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Americans who fled in terror from Mexico City to embark from Vera Cruz for the United States are cancelling their bookings on steamships.

Nevada Divorce Bill to Stop
RENO, Nev., Feb. 19.—Nevada's divorce industry received a death blow in the state senate in Carson City yesterday, when the Barnes amendment, providing for one year's residence as a primary requirement to an application for legal separation, was passed by a vote of twenty to one. The measure already had passed the assembly. Gov. Osidge announced that he will sign the bill.

In the last two years 1281 suits for divorce have been filed in Reno, a city of 10,000 population. There are probably 600 divorce seekers in the city now.

Panama to Build a Railroad
PANAMA, Feb. 19.—The bill providing for the construction of a railroad from Panama to David passed the last stage in the assembly yesterday and now only lacks the signature of the president to become a law.

Chas. Carey Improving
Charles A. Carey, letter carrier of upper Westford street in the vicinity of Belmont and Pine streets, is unable to resume his duties. Over a week ago in falling from ice-covered steps he was precipitated to the concrete walk, striking on his knee. He is improving and his many friends hope to see him back at work in the near future.

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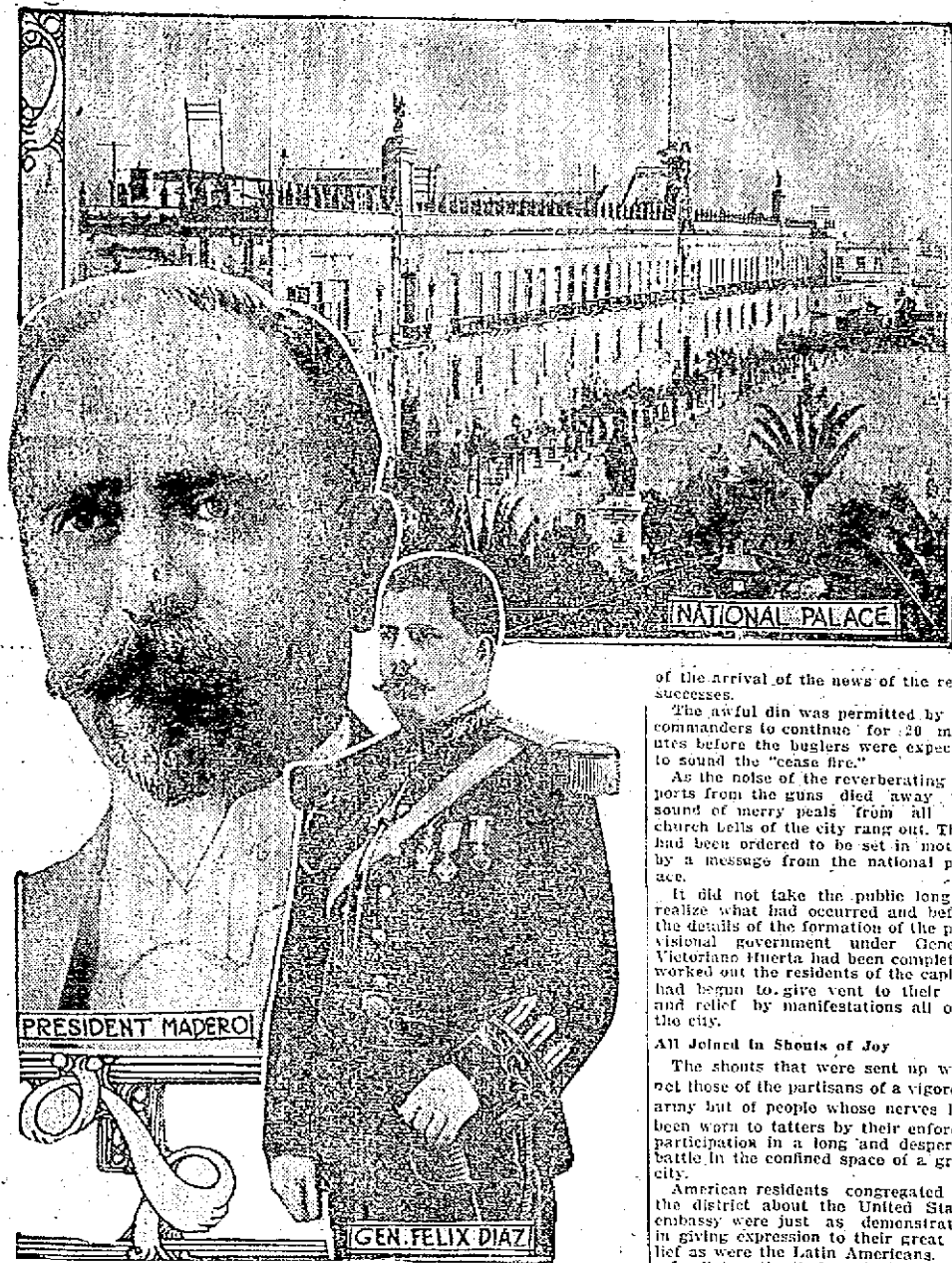
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FIGHTING IN MEXICO ENDS AFTER AR-REST OF MADERO AND CABINET

Gen. Huerta, Provisional Ruler---News of Change Applauded---Great Tribute to American Flag

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MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19.—The enforced fall of the administration of Mexico and the deposition of President Francisco I. Madero brought about by the well arranged plot of the leaders of the Federal military forces, has been received in Mexico City with general acclamations. It is, however, not known here how the rest of the Mexican capital, as well as foreigners here at the cessation of the terrible 10 days' battle in the streets found expression in the popular manifestations of joy.

Tribute to American Flag
The part played by the American embassy in the settlement of the difficulties of Mexico gained for the American flag such a tribute as rarely has been witnessed in Mexico. After the messenger from the embassy, Harry Berlinger, had gone through the fire of the rebel lines to the arsenal conveying the message of peace sent by Ambassador Wilson he drove to the national palace in an automobile bearing a white flag on one side and the stars and stripes on the other.

Outburst of Applause
By the time he emerged from the national palace after delivering the note to General Huerta the crowd outside had learned the import of his visit and the reappearance of his car was the signal for a great outburst of applause. Through an immense mass of humanity gathered in the Zoccala and along San Francisco street the big auto made its way with the stars and stripes flying in the wind. Group after group of the people in the streets caught at the cry "Viva los Americanos" and cheered wildly. For days the entire population of Mexico City had regarded intervention by the United States as practically inevitable. Mexicans of the non-combatant class suffered divided emotions of hope and fear. Thousands, although deploring intervention, had come to the conclusion that the

good offices of any nation were preferable to the wanton destruction of property and the awful loss of life which has been occurring with neither side gaining any apparent advantage. Francisco Madero and the members of his cabinet with the exception of Ernesto Madero, the minister of finance, had been made prisoners. Ernesto Madero managed to effect his escape only a few minutes before the men, commanded by Gen. Blanquet had taken the other ministers prisoners in the national palace.

Brother of Madero Arrested
Gustavo Madero, another brother of President Madero, was among those arrested. He had been denounced in many quarters since the first days of the Madero administration as an arch politician and had been charged with being a close counselor of the president. Later in the day General Delgado and Gen. Felipe Angeles and two of the federal commanders who were not in accord with General Huerta's plan were added to the list of prisoners.

The plan had originally been made without the knowledge of Felix Diaz, the rebel leader. The word, however, then began such a fusillade from the machine guns and such volleys from the rifles as had been fired but seldom since the opening of hostilities.

News Celebrated by Shots
It appeared for a time as though every machine gun and every rifle in the arsenal had been brought into action in the effort to fire away all the remaining stores of ammunition there. It was, however, merely in celebration

of the arrival of the news of the rebel successes.

The awful din was permitted by the commanders to continue for 20 minutes before the buglers were expected to sound the "cease fire."

As the noise of the reverberating reports from the guns died away the sound of merry peals from all the church bells of the city rang out. They had been ordered to be set in motion by a message from the national palace.

It did not take the public long to realize what had occurred and before the details of the formation of the provisional government under General Victoriano Huerta had been completely worked out the residents of the capital had begun to give vent to their joy and relief by manifestations all over the city.

All Joined in Shouts of Joy
The shouts that were sent up were not those of the partisans of a vigorous army but of people whose nerves had been worn to tatters by their enforced participation in a long and desperate battle in the confined space of a great city.

American residents congregated in the district about the United States embassy were just as demonstrative in giving expression to their great relief as were the Latin Americans. In diplomatic circles where the tension also had been great the solution which has been found was greeted heartily.

All along San Francisco street and in other thoroughfares of the downtown district extending as far as the big open square in front of the national palace thousands of people pushed their way back and forth waving banners which had been improvised out of the first material at hand and on which was printed the one Spanish word meaning "peace."

"Hurrah for Huerta"
Shouts of "Hurrah for Huerta," "Hurrah for Blanquet," "Hurrah for Diaz," "Hurrah for Monrragon" sounded everywhere throughout the city. Soldiers who a few hours before had been on the firing line were posted as sentinels on the street corners taking the place of the police who had not been on duty on the abandoned streets for over ten days.

There was practically no disorder except one notable case of direct vengeance. This was the burning down of the building and plant of the Nueva Era, the organ of President Madero. This newspaper was already despised by the anti-governmental element which utilized the opportunity of pay-

DO WE LEAD?
Sixty-cent chocolate almonds at 22c a pound (only 250 pounds) while they last. Wedgemore chocolates (assorted) 40c quality in neat pound boxes only at 29c. Sealed packages from Huyler's, Russell's, Lenox, La Reina, Varsity and Belle Mead Sweets. Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central street. (Coconut cakes arrive Friday, 7c a dozen.)

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH BOARD

Mortality Rate of 1912 Lowest in Twenty-Three Years—Chairman Raps Critics

The thirty-fifth annual report of the Lowell board of health was filed with the city clerk today. The report is a very voluminous one and for scholastic and shell it stands foremost in the ranks of departmental reports.

The report is a very encouraging one, too. The death rate for the year was 17.79, the lowest excepting 1904, in which year, the report claims, the figures 16.52 were obtained from an over-estimated population and that a revision of the figures would show the mortality rate of 1912 to have been the lowest in the last 23 years.

Also by far, the lowest on record is the number of deaths from cholera infantum in 1912.

Dr. Merro Brunelle, the board chairman, hits back, in his report, at the board's critics. He says it would be unfair to blame the epidemic of 1912 (meaning the scarlet fever epidemic), without passing upon the remarkable activity of the political affiliations.

Beginning a new paragraph, the doctor tells into a local paper that he says was "apparently assisted by a few medical friends." In reference to this the report reads: "All these (meaning the newspaper and the doctors) seemed to understand one another in concerted action. Apparently there was formulated a well organized plan of campaign work."

"Throughout the stinging storm of denunciation, happily from certain quarters only, the present board never wavered, but kept along its clear and just course, notwithstanding unreasonable requests of the board by powerful organizations—medically tipped, to do this or that thing, undoubtedly with the object in view, through concerted effort, to rush the members of the board of health into a corner from which they could never extricate themselves with grace in the eyes of the general public."

"It is interesting to note," continues the report, "that up to October 10, 1912, we had reported at the board of health office 218 cases of scarlet fever and one death, as compared with the corresponding period of 1910, when Dr. Martin was chairman of the board and when there were 239 cases of scarlet fever reported and 36 deaths from same."

In concluding this paragraph Dr. Brunelle refers again to the newspaper and the doctors, as follows: "Striking how well all these parties could contemplate with eloquent silence the wonderful and inscrutable ways of Providence in 1910."

Further along in his report the doctor writes: "It is well to remark here, the French-American population, combined with that of the Greek, Polish and other nationalities such as the Portuguese, Italian, etc., approximate a population of 30,000 people, shows for a period since the last of August to the last of the year a total of but 42 cases of scarlet fever."

The doctor at this point indulges in a lot of sarcasm and allows that the 30,000 people referred to did not come in contact with the newspaper in question and thus escaped the virulence of infection.

Referring again to the doctors who criticized the work of the board, Dr. Brunelle states: "Why could not these few medical lights who were in the

habit of meeting secretly, come forward and lend to their brothers in the profession on the board a helping hand in imparting some of their fine medical knowledge about scarlet fever, which they chose to keep in secret behind closed doors?"

"The medical profession as interpreted by any member of the Massachusetts Medical society is that of a grand society, held together by such cementing bonds of honor, skill, courtesy and justness, inspired by such noble thoughts of action, why in the name of good sense and fairness did these few medical men persist in the medical society to embarrass the members of the board of health? It was a miserable exhibition and a hard fight was forced upon us through no fault of ours, and although it is true, at times we struck back, ours was a fair and square fight, and to our credit it must be said, we never hit below the belt."

Contagious Diseases
Cases of contagious diseases reported were as follows: Diphtheria, 14; scarlet fever, 522; measles, 852; typhoid fever, 88; smallpox, 2; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 6; infantile paralysis, 9; tuberculosis, 167.

Deaths from Contagious Diseases
Diphtheria, including group, 16; scarlet fever, 36; measles, 10; typhoid fever, 10; smallpox, none; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 6; infantile paralysis, 3; tuberculosis, 142. There were 1367 vaccinations in 1912.

Scarlet Fever Cost
The board expenses at the Lowell hospital for the year were \$505.48, as compared with \$156.55 in 1911.

The number of cases of scarlet fever reported in 1912 was 522 as against 239 in 1911, 204 in 1910 and 239 in 1909. The number of deaths from the year from scarlet fever was six.

The death rate for the year was 17.79, the lowest, as has already been stated, in many years.

Rain Fall for Year
The rain fall for 1912 was by months as follows: January, 2.50; February, 2.63; March, 5.09; April, 3.22; May, 5.02; June, 0.22; July, 3.57; August, 2.30; September, 2.33; October, 2.31; November, 3.01; December, 3.73. Total, 40.09, as compared with 35.315 in 1911. More rain fell in 1912 than for any year since 1897 when the fall was 45.605.

Word of Thanks
We, the undersigned, wish to convey our profound thanks to the many friends who showed such consoling sympathy on the occasion of our sad bereavement on the death of our beloved husband and father. For the many acts of kindness and the beautiful floral tributes from his associate brethren and others. Only those in sorrow know the value of such proofs of the friendship.

(Signed) Mrs. Thomas H. Rodgers and Family.

Eight Federal Indictments
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—The federal grand jury reported eight indictments to Judge Morton in the Southern district yesterday, six of which were against Joseph L. Hirshman and Charles I. Kinsler, jointly and severally, for using the mails in a scheme to defraud merchants out of goods sold on credit. The others were against George E. Casella, a barber of New York, who is charged with engaging in the white slave traffic.

Mill Damaged By Fire
WARWICK, R. I., Feb. 19.—The Lip-lip mill of the B. & R. Knight company will be closed for about two weeks as the result of a fire which damaged the machinery today. The actual loss was not large. The mill employs about 150 hands.

Betting Now Barred in Utah
SALT CITY, Utah, Feb. 19.—The anti-bookmaking and pool selling bill was signed by Governor Spry yesterday afternoon.

The measure makes it a felony to place a wager of any description on a horse race and provides punishment by a fine of \$2000 or one year imprisonment.

DEATHS

PERRY—Mrs. Dianah M. Perry, an old resident of this city, died this morning at her home, 16 Robbins street, after a long illness, at the age of 85 years, 6 months and 10 days. She is survived by her husband, John Perry, Sr., one son, John Perry, Jr., one grandson, Hendrick S., and one grand-daughter, Mildred S. Perry, and two nieces. Funeral notice later.

J. P. Morgan Better
LONDON, Feb. 15.—J. P. Morgan, according to a special despatch from Cairo, went out driving today. He slept last night better than he had done for some time and is recovering from his attack of indigestion. His granddaughter has left Egypt for Rome.

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12c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 1 1-2. Sale Price, Yard.....	8c	69c Black Velvet, No. 40, extra good quality. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	39c Dresden, patterns suitable for chiffon waist bands. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c	79c Roman Stripes in old rose and green, best quality, 5 in. width. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	19c Pearl Gray and Dark Gray Taffeta, 5 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	5c
15c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 2. Sale Price, Yard.....	10c	59c Best Quality Taffeta Ribbon, in full line of colors, 8 in. width. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	12 1-2c Black Taffeta, 2 1-2 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	5c	79c Dresden Ribbons, white background with wood colors and Roman stripe edge, 5 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	25c Satin Taffeta in Alice, Garnet, Scarlet, Lavender, Navy, Seal Brown, 5 inch width. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c
19c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 3. Sale Price, Yard.....	12c	Hair Bow Taffeta, 4 inch, full line of colors. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c	29c Messaline in all shades, 5 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	19c	10c Black Satin Ribbon, No. 7. Sale Price, Yard.....	3c	25c Satin Taffeta, extra good for girdles and hat bows, 4 inch width. Sale Price, Yard.....	19c
25c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 5. Sale Price, Yard.....	19c	English Byadere Roman Stripes, for belts and special for men's ties. Sale Price, Yard.....	79c	25c Black Taffeta, extra good black and best quality, 3 and 3 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	10c	15c Black Satin Grosgrain, Nos. 9 and 12. Sale Price, Yard.....	5c	15c Satin Taffeta in red, pink, yellow, white and blue, 3 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	10c
29c Colored Velvet Ribbon, No. 7. Sale Price, Yard.....	20c	49c Dresden Ribbon, latest novelty, 6 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	39c	49c Black Faille, suitable for millinery and hair bows, 7 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	20c	10c Black and Light Blue Chiffon Ribbon for hair ornaments and dress trimmings. No. 3 and No. 5. Sale Price, Yard.....	1c	29c and 39c Black Moire, 6 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c
39c Colored Velvet Ribbon, special width for neck bows. Sale Price, Yard.....	29c	59c Taffeta Ribbon, 7 in., extra heavy hair bow quality, in black, white and full line of colors with fancy edge. Sale Price, Yard.....	39c	49c Satin Background Dresden in violet, red and blue predominating. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c	10c No. 1 Polka Dot Lingerie Wash Ribbon in pink, blue and white. Sale Price, Piece.....	7c	10c No. 1 Polka Dot Lingerie Wash Ribbon in pink, blue and white. Sale Price, Piece.....	7c
49c Colored Velvets, No. 12. Sale Price, Yard.....	39c	Warp Prints, 4 1-2 in., dainty patterns, both light and dark backgrounds. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c	No. 1 Lingerie Wash Ribbon in pink, blue and white with anchor design. Sale Price, Yard, or.....	3c Yard, or 25c Piece	49c Satin Roman Stripe, 6 in. for hair bows and director's sashes. Sale Price, Yard.....	29c	69c Light Blue, Pink and White Taffeta with 1 in. satin stripe. Special for sashes, 6 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c
59c Colored Velvets, No. 22. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	Novelty Hair Bow Taffeta, 6 in. fancy edge in all of the staple colors. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c	Latest Novelty Bulgarian Ribbon, suitable for dress trimmings and men's ties. 5 in. Value 79c. Sale Price, Yard.....	59c	25c Warp Print Ribbons, 5 in., dainty Dresden patterns. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c	In this particular pattern we have Hair Bow Ribbon to match sashes, 5 1-2 in. width. Sale Price, Yard.....	39c
5 in. Cerise Velvet Ribbon, special for sashes and millinery. Sale Price, Yard.....	69c	Hair Bow Taffeta, 5 in., firm and durable. Sale Price, Yard.....	19c	98c, No. 1 Special Tapestry Ribbon in green background with old rose coloring. 6 1-2 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	89c	29c and 39c Dresden in every desirable shade in pink, blue, maize and lilac. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c	39c Dresden Ribbons, 5 in., dainty patterns for sashes, party bags, work bags, etc. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c
19c Black Velvet, No. 9. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c			75c, No. 1 Special Maple Leaf Pattern, 7 in. width. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	33c Roman Stripes, 4 in., suitable for hair ribbon and millinery for children's school hats. Sale Price, Yard.....	19c	69c Dresden, 6 1-2 in., navy and pink. Sale Price, Yard.....	39c
39c Black Velvet, No. 16, special, best quality for sashes, millinery and dress trimmings. Sale Price, Yard.....	25c			15c Dresden in Dainty Patterns, 2 1-2 inch. Sale Price, Yard.....	5c	25c Green, Red and Blue Check, 5 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	10c	\$1.25 a yard. Special 12 in. Alice Blue, the much desired shade for this season's millinery, with 2 in. satin border, 1 3-4 yards only. Sale Price, Yard.....	75c
				69c Plaid for Hair Bows, special in 10 yard pieces, 6 in. Sale Price, Yard.....	49c	19c Roman Stripes, Persians and Warp Prints. Sale Price, Yard.....	15c		

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Lowell Opera House
Every line of "The Man From Home" in which the American Players are to be seen at the Opera House, this week was written on the beautiful terrace at the Hotel Regina, Margherita, at Sorrento, Italy. There, Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson, the authors of the play, sat day by day and drew their local color and inspiration together while building the drama. As played by the American Players at the Opera House this week "The Man From Home" is proving a potent attraction and a new, to further emphasize the fact that local theatregoers are to be given a series of high class performances at a popular scale of prices by these clever players. The prices for the daily matinees that are being given are ten and twenty cents for the first balcony, and twenty and thirty cents for the best orchestra seats. Evening prices are 20c, 30c and 50c. Seats for all performances including Washington's birthday are now on sale at the box office.

"MILESTONES"
Charles Vaughan, who plays the role of Arthur Prentice, labor representative in the house of commons in "Milestones" which comes to the Opera House, Feb. 21, visited the United States last April with Charles Hawting in "Dear Old Charlie." An earlier visit was made with Forbes Robertson.

Merrimack Square Theatre

A most entertaining program is being given at the Merrimack Square theatre this week. It consists of a number of crackjack good vaudeville acts together with a series of fine films. Headline the list are the Temple Players in an English entertainment in one scene called "At a London Carrot." This is distinctly different from anything ever produced by the Players and is good. See it. Then Coe and Boyde, instrumentalists, Curtis and Burns both have something to please, while Snawle Mayble is a pretty little miss who sets you in good humor with her stories. The photo plays intermingled throughout the bill are all A1.

Kelth's

With the Six American Dancers, Billie "Swede" Hall and Willard and Calm on the bill one of the best lots of variety in entertainment in the city this week is on view at the Kelth theatre. No one type of entertainment is overdone, yet all of the different kinds fit into a perfect whole. In addition to these splendid acts there are several other things which are more than just good. Miss Mulligan is a pretty singer and dancer, and George F. Hall is a declaimer of more than ordinary ability. Les Gougeons appear with some unusual musical instruments, and Dennis brothers are premier revolving ladder acrobats. Tickets for this all-

good bill may be secured at the box office for any performance during the week. The box office phone number is 78.

The Playhouse

There is no doubt but that Miss Bertha Mann, the new member of The Drama Players, who are this week presenting George Bernard Shaw's great problem play, "Mrs. Warren's Profession" at The Playhouse, will make herself extremely popular with the patrons of this theatre. Her work already stamps her as an actress of rare ability, and possessing requisites which contribute in the general ac-

ceptance of endeavors that are indeed praiseworthy. Those who have already witnessed her presentation of the character of "Vivie" readily agree that her efforts are most pleasing. Washington's birthday anniversary, now and avoid the possibility of being disappointed.

The Casino

Roller polo and roller skating are vastly different propositions, but both require the best skates available. The champion roller polo team of 1912, well 10 years ago was equipped with a skate made in Worcester, which was

positively the best made at that time, but which has since undergone a number of important improvements. Today, there is no skate in the world to equal it. After a few hours' skating at the Casino you will understand why.

Jerusalem Tonight

All who wish to learn about the Holy Land, especially Jerusalem, are invited to the illustrated lecture which Mr. William Bradford Goodwin will give in the People's club course, beginning at 8 o'clock tonight. Many fine views will show the chief interest. The hall is in the funnel building, and there is no charge for admission. The elevator will give a "lift" to the hall.

PRINCIPAL HENRY H. HARRIS

Of the Varnum School Addressed
Mothers' Association at First
Congregational Church

The monthly meeting of the Mothers' association of the First Congregational church took place this afternoon in the vestry of the church and was largely attended. A feature of the afternoon was an address by Principal H. H. Harris of the Varnum school, who spoke on "The Home and the School."

The meeting was opened at 3 o'clock by the president, Mrs. George Heath, and this was followed by the devotional exercises presided over by Mrs. Robert S. Fulton. Mrs. William S. Lyon rendered a fine violin selection, being accompanied on the piano by Master George Faulkner of the Varnum school.

Among those present was the pastor of the church, Rev. Mr. Newcomb. Mr. Harris' address was, in part as follows:

"Two great bulwarks which have safeguarded our civilization and culture are the home and the school. Other institutions have, indeed, made valuable contributions, but to the home and to the school are we indebted for the noblest fruits of modern life."

"Each has its own distinct duties and functions, but the division is not fixed and invariable, nor is the line of demarcation between the special fields of each always easy to draw. The demands upon each are different from those of yesterday, and future requirements will not be identical with those of today. The nature and character of school work and home duties are in a state of revolution, of rapid adjustment to changing conditions. In past generations the influence of the home overshadowed that of the school. In the home the child received the major part of his training for his later life. The home produced and prepared nearly all the food consumed by the family, and in it much of the work which is now carried on in the factory was then performed. It was the center of diversified industry as well as the center of the child's social life; in contrast, the school was merely the place where the famous three R's were expounded to the unwilling youth."

"As the years roll steadily by, the home has lost, one by one, many of its important and characteristic functions. Particularly when located in a city like Lowell, it offers very little opportunity for observation of, or participation in, constructive work of any kind. The home chores are few; there is little wood to split, no garden to hoe, no cows to milk; no blacksmithing is done, no shoes are made, no cloth is spun, no wagon or sled is constructed; all this work is performed elsewhere. In fact, the city home offers no regular or systematic work of any importance for the youth to perform for manual training or to perform stated tasks. As a consequence, this devolves more and more on the school."

"My grandmother lived on a New Hampshire farm and raised or made pretty nearly everything required by his family for their necessity and comfort. His boys from early boyhood assisted him in all the farm work. They saw the ground prepared, the seed sown, watched the germination and the growth of the corn and oats, wheat, rye and barley; they helped in harvesting and threshing, and they took the resulting grain to mill and brought back the golden meal and flour, the reward of their toil. They learned the lessons of cause and effect, they felt the relations of man and nature in a way impossible to your children and mine. They were of necessity trained to labor and to be self-reliant and resourceful. Their course in manual training is not equaled in the best high school in the state."

"My grandmother took the flax and the wool raised on the farm, prepared it, and spun and wove it into cloth. I have always found that pupils do better work in school whose parents are accustomed to talking over the day's school work with them. Children rarely know themselves that they need

help, but parents can generally find out whether they do or not. If parents would insist upon knowing every day something about what was done, what work was easy, what work was difficult, and why, the gain to the child would be incalculable. The fact that the parents may be unacquainted with the subjects or are 'rusty,' as they are apt to put it, is not material. All day at school the child has been holding up his little pitcher for the teacher to fill, and all day long the teacher has been pouring in; when he comes home, what he needs is to pour it all out and see what he has."

"A child who visits the circus usually visits it with a perfectly normal mental vision. He describes with glowing enthusiasm what he has seen. We can generally expect that his account of a day of school work will be enthusiastic, but it may well be as definite and clear. If we should insist upon it, we might soon get it."

"I beg of you to look carefully after your boys and girls with respect to their eating and sleeping. Don't let the girls hurry off in the morning, however little appetite they may have, without something substantial in their stomachs. Don't let boys or girls fail to get a plenty of sleep in a bed room well supplied with fresh air. There used to be a prejudice against night air, but people now realize that there is nothing else but night air for several of the twenty-four hours, and that pure air is a prophylactic that wards off many diseases. Pure air and lots of sleep give strength and vigor to enable boys and girls to supply material for physical growth and energy for physical and mental activity."

\$100,000 Loss by Fire
BURLINGTON, Vt., Feb. 19.—Two buildings at the plant of the Shepard & Morse Lumber Co. of Boston were destroyed by fire today together with a large amount of machinery and valuable lumber. The loss is estimated at about \$100,000 and is fully covered by insurance. The buildings were owned by the Rutland railroad.

Card of Thanks
The undersigned desire to thank all those who by their sympathy and beautiful tributes assisted in making lighter the burden of sorrow in their late bereavement in the loss of their father, Nathaniel Bishop.

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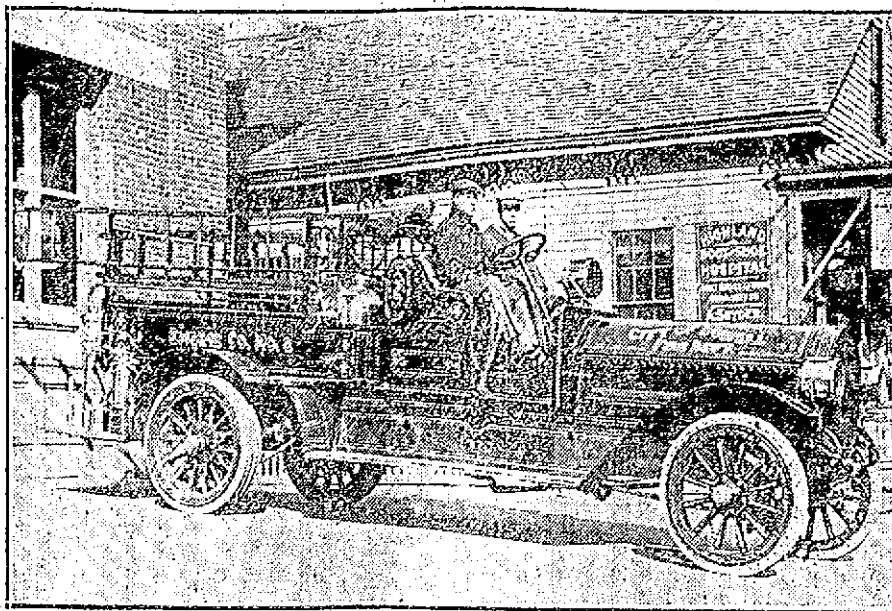
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ANOTHER FIRE AUTO, THE SEAGRAVES, TESTED THIS AFTERNOON BY COMMISSIONER BARRETT



THE NEW SEAGRAVE AUTO MACHINE

The Seagraves automobile combination hose and chemical was given a try-out this afternoon. It was the last of the three machines recently purchased and while Commissioner Barrett seems to think exceptionally well of the Robinson machine, a great deal has been said in praise of the Seagraves machine by fire chiefs in

different cities throughout the country. Lowell, however, is now in a position to test both machines and conclusions may be drawn later. The Seagraves is a six-cylinder machine and very powerful. It is air cooled, has electric search lights and electric lights throughout. The wheel base is 166 inches. The machine carries a chemical tank with a capacity of 40 gallons; 200 feet of chemical hose; 100 feet of two and one-half inch hose and a 30-foot ladder. The machine will be installed at the Palmer street engine house. The test of the Seagraves was made over almost exactly the same route as that taken by the Robinson machine a few days ago.

BOMB EXPLOSION WRECKED HOUSE

Suffragettes Accused of Placing Infernal Machine in Residence of David Lloyd George

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The country residence of Chancellor of the Exchequer, David Lloyd George at Walton Heath was practically destroyed this morning by a bomb believed by the police at Scotland Yard to have been placed there either by militant suffragettes or male sympathizers with the women's suffrage movement. Mr. Lloyd George himself is on a motor trip in France and nobody was injured as the evidence has not yet been accepted. The whole of the rear portion of the house will have to be razed and rebuilt. A bomb had been placed in one of the rooms of the residence, which is a modest home adjoining the Links on

MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

2 Others Hurt—Stepped Into Path of Freight

SALEM, Feb. 19.—Many men and women waiting for trains at the Salem station of the Boston & Maine road today were witnesses of the death of Ernest Morin, a railroad section man and the serious injury of two fellow-employees. The men stepped out of the way of an express into the path of a freight train.

Unique Labor Measure
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—A unique labor measure was reported in the house of representatives by the legislature committee on labor today. The bill, which will become effective on May 1, if enacted into law, provides that all dressed granite used in the construction of public buildings in the state shall be dressed and finished within the limits of the commonwealth.

Prevent Consolidation of Railroads
BOSTON, Feb. 19.—A bill aimed to prevent the consolidation of railroads and street railways in Massachusetts was reported unanimously by the committee on railroads in the Massachusetts state senate today. The bill provides a fine of \$1000 or imprisonment for one year or both fine and imprisonment for any official or agent of a railroad corporation who violates any of the provisions of the law prohibiting the consolidation of railroads or street railways.

Committed Suicide
SOMERVILLE, Feb. 19.—Mrs. William Barrett, formerly of Augusta, Me., committed suicide at her home here today by hanging. She had been in a nervous state for some years.

Strikers Reach Agreement
LEBANON, N. H., Feb. 19.—The 30 weavers at the Mascota mill of the American Woolen Co., who struck yesterday for a raise in wages, came to an agreement with the agent today and returned to work.

HEAVY LOSSES REPORTED

By Insurance Men at the
Central St. Fire

The buildings in Central street which were damaged by fire recently were inspected by the insurance men yesterday. There were also many business men among the visitors to the scene. It seems to be the general opinion that the structure will need to be rebuilt.

The greatest losses were the proprietors of the Sunlight Shoe store for nearly the whole of the stock was damaged to some extent by the fire, smoke or water. The loss to the Lull and Hartford Co. was at first underestimated and was found to be considerably greater than was at first thought. The goods in the cellar of this structure were badly damaged by the water.

Mr. Lull's Statement
It was erroneously stated in the report of the fire printed yesterday that gunpowder and dynamite, meaning dynamite cartridges, were kept in the basement of Lull & Hartford.

To a Sun reporter Mr. Lull today stated that the firm has never carried dynamite cartridges. There was in the basement a small quantity of gunpowder, which the firm is licensed to keep, but there was no other explosive of any kind in the building. The small box of powder was removed by Mr. Lull himself as soon as he found that there was a fire in the building.

LOOT OF BURGLAR TRUST

Valuable Jewelry Found
in Chicago

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, silverware, furs and jewelry believed to be the loot taken from residences in Cleveland by members of the so-called burglar trust was recovered by the police in a West Side pawn shop here last night. Initials had been scraped off the silverware. Information as to where the booty could be found was given by Otto Christensen, who was arrested on a charge of being the Chicago agent for the "trust." Christensen made a confession in which he implicated Frank Kenney, under arrest in connection with the murder of Ralph Byrnes, a lake captain, in his home in Cleveland early this month.

NEARLY 100 CASES
Will Be Dismissed by Order Issued in Worcester—Some Pending For More Than a Decade

WORCESTER, Feb. 19.—An order was issued by Judge John B. Ratigan in superior court last night that will dismiss nearly 100 cases, some of which have been pending for more than a decade, from the trial calendar. Under a new rule of the superior court judges more than 200 cases were placed on the present trial calendar for disposition at this sitting of the court by order of the court. Nearly 100 of these cases have not been advanced by counsel and Judge Ratigan gave notice yesterday that all these actions will be dismissed "unless otherwise ordered for cause shown." The enforcement of the new rule is expected by court officials to greatly lighten the trial calendar in the future by preventing the accumulation of old cases.

WAS CAUGHT IN MACHINE
James Morhian, a laborer at Gillette Carbonizing Company Was Painfully Hurt There Last Night

James Morhian, a laborer, 33 years of age and residing at 53 Auburn street was quite seriously injured last night while at work at the plant of the Gillette Carbonizing Co. where he is employed. Morhian was working overtime and in some manner or other he became caught in one of the machines last night, sustaining a fracture of the left arm above the elbow and a fracture of the fourth and fifth ribs on his left side. He was taken to the Emergency hospital for treatment and later to his home where he is said to be resting comfortably.



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LOWELL ELKS PRESENT

Banquet to Grand Exalted
Ruler in Boston

Some of the best people on earth gathered at the Copley-Plaza hotel, in Boston, last night, to do honor to their grand exalted ruler, Thomas B. Mills, of Superior, Wisconsin. Covers were set for 450 and there wasn't a vacant chair. It was a great night for the Elks and they had one grand time. There was a banquet fit for kings and the speech making was what the ordinary Elk would call "big-league stuff." The speakers included Lieut.-Governor Walsh, Gratton Cushing, President Greenwood of the senate, E. Mark Sullivan, assistant U. S. district attorney, and others. William E. Hill, chief of police of Everett, was the toastmaster. Lowell Elks present at the festivities included Mayor James E. O'Donnell, Commissioner James E. Donnelly, John Farrell, Joseph Mullin, John J. Sullivan, L. L. T. David Gregoire, Elias A. McQuade, Gottlieb Thumm, Daniel McQuade, Maurice Kelly, John P. Farley, Andrew Beach and Charles Molloy.

President Taff's Veto
WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—President Taff's veto of the Dillingham-Burnett Immigration bill went to the house today with the bill repassed over the veto in the senate yesterday.

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SCHOOLS AND TAX REFORMS



FRANK E. DUNBAR President

Discussed at Unitarian Church— F. E. Dunbar Elected President of Men's Club

The Men's club of the Unitarian church held its monthly meeting and annual meeting as well, last night. Walter Coburn, reporting for the nominating committee, suggested that Frank E. Dunbar be elected president and Edward Carney, vice president. Both were unanimously elected. The club members listened to two very interesting addresses by Hon. John Jacob Rogers and Principal William H. Dooley of the Lowell Industrial school. Mr. Rogers spoke on "Tax Reforms in Wisconsin" while Mr. Dooley discussed "The School of the Future." Mr. Dooley said, in part: "Education means preparation for life and that education takes place in

To Get Rid of Wrinkles and Bad Complexions

(From Beauty's Mirror)
It is more important now than during the period of profuse perspiration, to keep the pores clean. All cosmetics close the pores. In winter this interferes greatly with elimination of waste material, instead of aiding it. Gradually the healthy, moist skin becomes dry. Minute particles of seaf skin come off day by day, causing not the least pain or discomfort. Gradually the healthy, moist skin beneath peeps out, and in less than a fortnight you have a lovelier complexion than you ever dreamed of acquiring. Mercolized wax, obtainable at any drug store, is spread on slightly dry cold cream and washed off mornings. One course usually suffices.
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SCHOOLS AND TAX REFORMS

ation, which has become a feature of our magnificent public school system." Congressman-elect Rogers. In the course of his talks on "Tax Reforms in Wisconsin," Mr. Rogers said: "A consideration of the income tax proposition is not inappropriate in the light of what students of the problem have recently learned by experience of a practical nature. The tendency has always been to get the most out of taxation with the least objection from those who pay the bills. The taxation laws of Massachusetts and New York are similar to that of other states, but changes are gradually taking place in taxation methods throughout the Union.
"One hundred years ago not one of our mills had been incorporated. The issue of stock was in its infancy, bonds were unknown. The possessions of a man were practically on the table in full view of the tax collector. That was fair.
"Following the establishment of corporations and the birth of intangible securities, we find much taxable property hidden away in secret boxes and there is a great loss to the public in consequence.
"The general taxing proposition in Massachusetts has broken down. Much of the existing unrest is undoubtedly due to the poverty of the small property owner who feels that he is paying the way of someone more able to pay."
It seems to me that the more tax should be levied on prosperity, not on adversity. A tax upon the man's ability to pay should be levied.
The income tax is not new. It has been found practical in many cases. England first established the income tax in 1799, and maintained it until 1816. In 1812 Robert Bell had another income tax passed, and since that time it has been in use in various forms. England has established \$900 as the minimum for income taxation. Denmark, Italy and Germany have adopted income taxation with success.
"There is another feature of the English tax which is based on a levy on lands that are to yield dividends. This means before the dividend has been paid.
"The only civilized government of Europe without the income tax is France and efforts have been made recently to have it adopted by that country. The ultimate success of these efforts is not questioned.
"The point was raised years ago by a man named Springer that the income tax was not constitutional, and the controversy over this question lasted for years. Eventually, the courts ruled that the tax was constitutional.
"The assessment of such tax will mean a great benefit to offset the loss in tariff revenues during the incoming national administration.
"As to a state income tax, let me say that Massachusetts passed a law in 1816 providing for such tax, and today we have a tax providing for taxation on incomes in excess of \$200. I tried in vain to find how much income there is in Lowell from this source.
Status of Wealth
"I would like to know how much of our wealth in Lowell is made up of personal and how much of real estate. In Wisconsin the figures are explicit. It is fair to say that in Massachusetts one dollar of personal value exists for one dollar of real estate value, but the taxes do not show it.
"I should judge that four-fifths of our revenue by taxation in Lowell comes from real estate. That is not fair.
"The so-called mill tax on personal property is a method advocated by some men who have studied the question. In my opinion, this is not the best method.
"The income tax in this country have adopted the income tax in one form or another.
Wisconsin is the experimental station of the country. It established in 1911 an income tax which yielded a revenue of \$3,500,000, an amount greater than the personal tax of the state.
"The Wisconsin law removes all taxes on a wide variety of personal property, including money, stocks and bonds. A living wage minimum of \$500 per year is set for a single man, and \$1200 for a man and his wife. A wage of \$1800 paid to a man with wife and three children is exempt from taxation. The theory is that a hardship practiced on the individual in the way of taxation is reflected by expense to the state in the matter of almshouse and other bills.
"The taxation of a bond is not equitable, but the taxation of the return of the bond is fair. In Wisconsin, a man's wealth is the basis of taxation, not his property.
"The state efforts do not profit under the tax, beyond 10 per cent. The city or town receives 70 per cent, and the county, 20 per cent.
"Every man must make a sworn return of his wealth, and for failure to do this, imprisonment and double taxation are the penalties. The money raised in Wisconsin through income taxation came largely from people who could well afford to pay, from people who had been dodging their taxes for years.
The income tax by states is proper, regardless of the federal income tax. It is fair to the people generally, and I want to say that, although there may be many here who do not pay their just share to the city government today, it is because of a neglect that practically the whole community shares in. Until this condition is corrected, the city will not receive the money to which it is entitled."
\$12,000 Blaze at Amesbury
AMESBURY, Feb. 12.—All the fire-fighting apparatus in town was called out last night to fight a blaze which damaged the automobile body factory of J. H. Leitch. The loss was estimated at \$12,000, largely caused by water.

SCHUMAKER IS MAYOR OF MALDEN

Defeated Doonan in Special Election—Mayor Barry Renominated in Cambridge

MALDEN, Feb. 12.—At the special election for mayor yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mayor George L. Farrell, ex-Alderman Chas. Schumaker was elected, defeating ex-Councilman Owen C. Doonan by 1852 votes. The vote by wards follows:
Wards 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 Tls
Schumaker 529 159 488 442 612 676 247 2135
Doonan 207 758 224 234 150 161 269 2466
Mayor-elect Schumaker has been a resident of the city here than a quarter of a century. He is engaged in business here and is well known. He has been an alderman for six years and has been a member of the legislature from this district. More than 4200 voters, out of a registration of 7351, went to the polls.
BARRY RENOMINATED
Mayor of Cambridge Given Plurality of 1501—Carried Every Ward in the City—Increased Vote
BOSTON, Feb. 12.—The result of the democratic primary for mayor yesterday in Cambridge resulted in the renomination of Mayor J. Edward Barry by a plurality of 1504 votes.
The total vote for all candidates was 7211, just about the full strength of the party vote at a regular municipal election. The total of each candidate was:
J. Edward Barry, 3739; James A. Montgomery, 2145; James T. Barrett, 617; Michael M. O'Connor, 589; Charles H. Gaffney, 133.
It was an unusually hot campaign, and the handsome vote for Mayor Barry surprised even the knowing ones, as he got about 700 votes more than two years ago, when he was first nominated while Mr. Montgomery this year just about held his vote of two years ago.
Husband and Wife Both Saved From Suffering
I wish to tell you the good results myself and husband received from Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. About 11 years ago I had a severe attack of La Grippe and was confined to my bed about eight weeks under the doctor's care. He pronounced my case kidney trouble and rheumatism and not receiving the results from the doctor's treatment I decided to try Swamp-Root. After taking several bottles of Swamp-Root I was able to get up and attend to my work. About a year later my husband was affected with a severe attack of kidney trouble and doctored for some time with the doctors and received no benefit. Knowing of the good I had received, he decided to try Swamp-Root. His condition was such that he was confined to his bed and words cannot tell how he suffered, but after taking Swamp-Root he was relieved so he could go on with his work without pain. I wish to heartily recommend Swamp-Root to all persons afflicted with kidney and bladder troubles and you may publish this letter if you wish.
Yours truly,
MRS. A. E. BRIGGS, Eldred, Pa.
Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 25th day of May, 1912.
IRA MCCARTHY, Notary Public.
Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.
Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You.
Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Lowell Sun. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

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Mayor Barry carried every ward of the city, including ward 3, the home ward of Mr. Montgomery.
PATTEN DEFEATED
WATERTOWN, Feb. 12.—The surprise of the republican caucus, held last night, was the defeat of Selectman Wendell W. Patten for renomination. Mr. Patten, who last year received the unanimous nomination of the republicans and democrats, was last night renominated by the democratic caucus, but failed to win tonight. He will be a candidate for re-election, however, on the democratic ticket.
George Fred Robinson, a former member of the board of selectmen, received the nomination last night. The nominations were: Wesley E. Monk, George Fred Robinson and William H. Leland, selectmen; Clinton T. Holmes, assessor for three years; Fred S. Phillips, assessor for one year; Adolph C. Dwyer and Arthur P. Gray, school committee for three years, and E. C. Robinson, park commissioner.
TAKE NOMINATION PAPERS
Candidates for Selectmen at Milton Securing Signatures as Result of "No Vote" Caucus
MILTON, Feb. 12.—The failure of the caucus Monday night to nominate has made it necessary for the five candidates for the board of selectmen to take out nomination papers. Yesterday morning Mr. Duffy and Mr. Barnes, the previous members of the board, took papers, and a few hours later Mr. Eaton, the East Milton candidate, appeared and secured his papers. James R. Mitchell of Centre street said he had not made up his mind as to his future plans. The candidates for the board of selectmen will also be obliged to take out nomination papers.
The surplus of votes over the 438 votes cast, resulting in the announcement of Chairman Roger Wolcott that there would be no choice, created considerable talk throughout the town today and night, and the result in the adoption of the Australian ballot.
Although the caucus was not recognized, Henry H. Barnes was first to receive a flattering vote, with Maurice Duffy a good second. George R. Eaton, who perhaps made the liveliest campaign of all, made a fine showing, but the voters made no use of his expectations. Mr. Batchelder and Mr. Mitchell were non-committal last night, but were perfectly satisfied with the results.
Nomination papers require 30 signatures and will have to be filed with the town clerk by Friday evening at 5 o'clock.

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Extra Low Fare Tickets to the Far West—California and Northwest
Why not save some money on your trip west? I can tell you how to do it and yet travel comfortably on a first-class express train. Sleeping berths, roomy and very comfortable, but very inexpensive, and the entire equipment made to give you a nice easy, quiet trip.
I'm employed by the Burlington to care of all travelers are well taken care of and I want to be of as much service to you as possible. I'll be glad to take the little details of your trip—engage you a choice berth, tend to your tickets, advise about your baggage, send you maps and printed information with pictures and tell you anything you may want to know about any part of the far west or the coast country.
Just drop all a line saying when and where you want to go and I'll answer at once, and give you a lot of information.
Alex Stocks, New England Passenger Agent, C. B. & Q. R. R., 264 Washington St., Boston.

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HAIR STOPS FALLING, DANDRUFF DISAPPEARS—25 CENT "DANDERINE"
SAVE YOUR HAIR! BEAUTIFY IT! INVIGORATE YOUR SCALP! DANDERINE GROWS HAIR AND WE CAN PROVE IT.
Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.
A little Danderine now will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it

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through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an invigorated lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.
Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowledge's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

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At the Arden single tax colony, where Upton Sinclair lived for a time, nine women came across the fields to greet the army and to give them a reception and lunch at the country estate of Mrs. E. A. Lodge.
Passing the toll gate on the Chester Pike a farmer's wife came out and presented a big Max cat to Chief Scout Mrs. Olive Schultz. She put it in a basket on her feet and heater. The army will have a mascot. Suffrage meetings were held on several Wilmington street corners last night.

SUE FOR LOSS OF SLEEP

Action Based on Building of Subway
BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Alleging local prejudice and the interest of the great majority of jurors in the financial responsibility of the city as reasons why they could not get an impartial trial by jury in Suffolk county, Isaac Gardner of the West End have asked to have the trial of their suits against the city of Boston transferred from Suffolk county to Norfolk county. Judge Hardy in superior court yesterday denied the motions.
Gardner occupies a tenement and a store at 84 Phillips street, Edglestein is head of the building corner of Phillips and Grove streets, and Alice Schneider is an owner of property in Grove street. Each has sued the city for damages arising from the operations incident to the construction of the Cambridge subway. They claim that the noise, day and night interfered with their sleep and the quiet enjoyment of their premises. Light and air was also interrupted by the construction of a high platform while the work was in progress.
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BASEBALL AND
FIELD SPORTS

THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

DOUBLE HEADER PLAYED

In the Baraca League
Last NightFIRST BAPTIST AND TRINITARIAN
TEAMS, ROLLED SIX STRINGSEach Team Took a Game—Other
League Games Rolled—Many Inter-
esting Contests, With Good Scores

There were two games played in the Baraca league last night. The first Baptist team defeated the Trinitarian team in the first game by nearly a hundred runs, while in the second match between the first Baptist team and the first Trinitarian team was high man with a total of 318.

The Calvary Baptist team took the measure of the Swedish M. E. bowling team in their game last night in the Baraca league. The Swedish team was the highest three string roller with a mark of 259.

The Plumber's team in their match with the Baraca Post team in their Brunswick league game by the score of 1413 to 1388. Hessian rolled high with 31.

The scores of all the matched games and their summaries are as follows:

TRINITARIAN CONG.			
	1	2	Totals
Barlow	70	92	162
Furnbull	82	81	163
Purgeson	87	80	167
Hibbs	83	79	162
Brown	86	85	171
Totals	428	423	851

FIRST BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Whits	85	87	172
Chapman	88	84	172
Woodman	94	103	197
Johnson	92	90	182
Brown	97	90	187
Totals	456	450	906

The score of the second game:

TRINITARIAN CONG.			
	1	2	Totals
Barlow	82	82	164
Furnbull	125	95	220
Purgeson	81	81	162
Hibbs	80	85	165
Brown	112	92	204
Totals	500	435	935

FIRST BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Whits	98	91	189
Davis	97	91	188
Johnson	90	91	181
Brown	94	91	185
Totals	489	464	953

SWEDISH M. E.			
	1	2	Totals
Johnson	77	96	173
Laurin	81	83	164
Thornhill	102	83	185
Schombom	95	81	176
Schombom	95	76	171
Totals	450	425	875

CALVARY BAPTIST			
	1	2	Totals
Myrick	82	79	161
Davis	82	80	162
Chapman	83	81	164
Myrick	85	82	167
Myrick	88	83	171
Totals	438	421	859

PLUMBERS			
	1	2	Totals
Lessian	108	103	211
Myrick	97	92	189
Devine	82	84	166
Sheppard	83	81	164
Burns	83	80	163
Totals	453	437	890

PARCEL POSTS			
	1	2	Totals
Vers	88	107	195
Maguire	82	112	194
Gatney	87	99	186
Quinn	81	87	168
Totals	440	405	845

TEAM SIX			
	1	2	Totals
Maguire	94	94	188
Gilpatrick	88	91	179
Totals	182	185	367

TEAM SEVEN			
	1	2	Totals
Maguire	107	92	199
Maguire	97	85	182
Totals	204	177	381

McCARTHY'S PETS			
	1	2	Totals
Sullivan	82	84	166
McCarthy	81	84	165
McCarthy	85	88	173
McCarthy	87	85	172
McCarthy	92	87	179
Totals	427	408	835

COLE'S WONDERS			
	1	2	Totals
Bole	102	99	201
Hall	87	101	188
Hollwell	85	76	161
Hay	101	70	171
Hickey	102	80	182
Totals	500	426	926

MULLIN'S PETS			
	1	2	Totals
Mullin	82	84	166
McCarthy	81	84	165
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Totals	427	408	835

MONETTE'S GLOOMS			
	1	2	Totals
Monette	69	68	137
Boott	74	84	158
Carver	87	81	168
Matley	72	73	145
Totals	302	306	608

WAMBERT			
	1	2	Totals
Wambert	100	79	179
Hamberton	82	85	167
Hamberton	83	88	171
McKinley	86	78	164
McKinley	87	86	173
Totals	438	416	854

MERRIMACK VALLEY			
	1	2	Totals
Madwick	92	80	172
Hodson	92	82	174
Nichols	82	85	167
Hanson	89	82	171
Hanson	112	89	201
Totals	467	418	885

DRAFTSMEN			
	1	2	Totals
McKittick	86	76	162
Carles	84	80	164
Carles	87	81	168
Carles	91	73	164
Carles	97	88	185
Totals	455	421	876

OFFICE			
	1	2	Totals
Hammond	79	87	166
Hammond	75	85	160
Hammond	76	81	157
Hammond	74	75	149
Hammond	86	85	171
Totals	390	403	793

REDS			
	1	2	Totals
Cook	74	75	149
Booth	88	88	176
Hurley	75	71	146
Gill	93	82	175
O'Loughlin	88	85	173
Totals	430	398	828

BLUES			
	1	2	Totals
Leonard	63	87	150
Bruckett	76	95	171
Bigelow	76	59	135
Rowe	63	63	126
Corbett	58	75	133
Totals	375	405	780

WASHINGTON			
	1	2	Totals
Henshaw	93	87	180
Willes	93	87	180
Harman	73	102	175
Poye	89	81	170
Meacham	89	111	200
A. Doyle	122	93	215
Totals	559	591	1150

SILENT KNIGHTS			
	1	2	Totals
Harrington	89	85	174
Hobbes	76	74	150
McGeever	78	81	159
A. McMahon	75	77	152
B. McMahon	86	93	179
J. McMahon	86	82	168
Totals	499	455	954

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TAFT TO MADERO

That portion of the press which has striven to stir up the passions of an excited public since the Mexican uprising, by referring to President Taft as "a man of straw," may find nothing to admire in the firmness and good sense of the message he has addressed to Pres. Madero of Mexico, regarding the policy of the United States. On the other hand the more conscientious part of the press, and the same judgment of public opinion, will find that the president has taken the wisest course possible, and in doing so sacrifices neither American firmness nor American dignity.

Madero, it would seem, took the orders of the president to the army and navy to mean that America meant to intervene at once in Mexican affairs. He protested against this with the result that the president in his next message, "Fresh assurances of friendship to Mexico are unnecessary after two years of proof of patience and good will." This is stating the situation calmly but firmly. While the president's message has a vein of sincere sympathy the dominant note is one of firm protest. This is not the time for a flinching or suppliant attitude. America does not say, "Pray spare the lives and property of Americans." She says rather, "You must save them. We have long been patient."

As to the landing of American troops the president makes no promise to refrain from doing so but alludes to his orders to the army and navy as "measures of a natural precaution." Without doubt the president cannot fail to see the far reaching consequences of intervention in Mexico, and does not mean to act hastily. That portion of the press and public whose honor is hypersensitive, would be the first to deplore and condemn the action of the government if hasty intervention in Mexico had embroiled us in years of warfare and misunderstanding.

The president says, "The present paramount duty is the prompt relief of the situation." In this he makes plain that America in seeking to end the Mexican trouble, is actuated by the principles which as a nation we have always preached and not by cupidity or a desire for territorial extension. In all its particulars the note to Madero voices the sentiment of the people of this country, and it is to be hoped that the policy outlined and advocated therein will guide the trend of public discussion in this delicate situation.

The note will probably do a great deal in solving the future procedure of the opposing parties in Mexico, as far as their relations with us are concerned. Not only Madero but Diaz will now understand that so long as they hold American interests sacred, there shall be no intervention, but as the continual disturbance has created in this country "extreme pessimism" regarding their desire or ability to protect our people, a violation of their duty regarding American interests will be met with intervention regardless of consequences.

Now that Madero is arrested by the federal army it is probable that Diaz will be master of the situation until the army turns against him in favor of some other leader.

INAUGURATION HOTEL RATES

A resolution has been offered in the house by Representative Johnson of Kentucky, to prevent the restaurants, hotels, and such establishments of Washington, charging any more than the usual amount during inauguration week. It is doubtful that congress will take kindly to the measure, but of its popularity there can be no doubt. Those who intend to journey to the capital would, if in their power, compel the restaurant and hotel keepers to keep their charges within reach. Still it is questionable if congress would have a moral right in imposing such a measure as the rise in prices is governed by the same law that regulates supply and demand in every branch of business.

The people who go to Washington want no pleasure must expect to spend more during inauguration week than at other times. Enthusiasm makes the coin fly a little more swiftly. Congress itself makes appropriations for a suitable celebration of the occasion. It is doubtful then if it is a good or just policy to forbid the rise in prices that is a sure feature of the time. When the law deals with this in a wider sense, and as it affects business in general, the time will be ripe for reform, but it is not consistent that the hotels and restaurants of any one city, at any one time, should be discriminated against. No matter how unjust the exorbitant prices are we must make up our minds to pay them smilingly, remembering that "there are no gains without pains."

VERMONT'S BLUE SKY LAW

The public sentiment against fake investment schemes is rapidly finding expression in laws to limit the powers of promoters and companies seeking public investment. Vermont has just passed a law, known as the "blue sky law," similar to the law already operating in Kansas, which turns all such companies over to the supervision of the state. The Vermont bank commission must in future investigate any company that solicits public investments. If the scheme is found to be legitimate a license will be issued, and no company shall be allowed to do business without a state license.

This law seems just in every particular. It cannot injure legitimate business, which is in fact protected by any regulation that will destroy illegal competition. It will operate to protect the citizens of that state from the swindlers who have for years robbed the public by fake investment schemes. It will put the responsibility for this business on the state, which by its refusal to issue a license to dishonest promoters, has the means of protecting the citizens of large Massachusetts has long been a prey to professional swindlers and the adoption of such a law seems to be the only way in which such transactions can be prevented. It will be but a matter of a short time until every state in the Union will be compelled to take example by Kansas and Vermont in passing laws such as the "blue sky" law.

ENVER BEY

A despatch from Constantinople tells of the attempted assassination of Enver Bey, the leader of the Young Turks, who rose to power recently on the fall of the ministry. Perhaps more than any other incident this shows the hopeless disorganization of the Turkish army. In the public indignation and disappointment following the advice of the ambassadors in London to give up Adrianople and the Aegean islands, Enver Bey and the Young Turks gathered the scattered forces and made a last show of bravery. The fight is still going on but is almost one-sided. Were it not that the fortresses of the Turks are almost impregnable, because of their natural situations, and defenses, the war would be over long ago. The attempt by the soldiers on the life of the self-constituted leader, Enver Bey, denotes that the enthusiasm kindled by the consciousness of a despairing situation is dead or dying. Gradually the stern facts are being brought home to the people that they are about to lose far more than what they regarded as the extraordinary sacrifices advised at the London conference. It is probable that the attempt on Enver Bey is only a warning of the scenes to be witnessed when the fanatical Moslems at last realize that his reign of terror in Europe is a thing of the past.

WANT TO FIGHT MEXICO

There is something pathetic in the plea of the government prisoners of Alcatraz island, who beg for permission to go to war with Mexico, if America should deem it advisable. The open letter they have written would gladden the heart of Rudyard Kipling. In it they plead for the chance to redeem their character by proving to the country that their loyalty is not dead. They declare that from the prison could be recruited a force that any officer would be proud to lead into the field. They tell how some of them made good in their baptismal fire in Cuba, China, and the Philippines. The most significant part of the letter reads: "Many are here because they are not garrison soldiers. They are fighting men. The monotony of life at a post was too much for them." This reads like a chapter of "Plain Tales from the Hills."

A picturesque figure has passed in the death of Joaquin Miller, "the poet of the Sierras." His life was in keeping with his work, simple, heroic, and apart. In his poems he sang particularly of the plains and mountains of the west and he did more to make this region known here and abroad than any other author, with the possible exception of Bret Harte. Though in his life he showed some bitterness as he grew old, his poems were always full of the spirit of sunshine, happiness, and love. He will be missed by all who prize American literature, particularly by lovers of real poetry.

New Nickel Coming

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Coinage of the new nickel was ordered by Secretary MacVeagh yesterday, despite objections of certain slot machine interests. It will be placed in circulation in the course of a week. The new coin will have an Indian head on the face and a buffalo on the reverse.

Senate Passes Seed Resolutions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Two resolutions calling on the postmaster general to furnish the senate the cost of distribution of seeds through the mail under frank and the other calling on the secretary of agriculture to inform the senate the cost of the seeds were passed by the senate yesterday.

Seen and Heard

"Say, Elzie," said Don, "why didn't Moses take a jack rabbit into the ark?"

"I don't know," replied Elzie. "Why did he take a rabbit along?"

"Because Moses never saw the ark," said Don, and the joke was on Elzie and the jack rabbit.

"This dog of mine is some dog, let me tell you. He has a wonderful pedigree."

"I suppose you trace him away back to the dog Noah took into the ark?"

"Say, this dog's ancestors didn't go into the ark; he had a bark of his own."

A very mean trick was played a young man at a local hotel a few days ago. He had purchased a pound of candy (100 cents per lb.) for his girl and left it in the hotel office while he went to the bar to make business good for the brewery. An hour later he returned to the office, received his box of candy and tripped lightly to the door. As he opened the door, he found that beneath the first layer of chocolates there reposed a rotten onion, carrot and two or three other chuckers, who turned upon her Adams with flashing eyes. He couldn't explain because he didn't know anything about it. The shift was made in the hotel office.

There is one that Governor Ross tells with relish.

A young man married a pretty little widow, and the next day one of the lady's guests gave a description of the affair at a meeting of the sewing society.

"And do you know," she continued, after giving a detailed account of the gown, presents and cake, "just as I came and the widow started up the aisle toward the altar every light in the church went out. It was awful."

"You don't really mean it?" chorused the sewing society with an expression of large interest. "What in the world did the couple do?"

"Kept right on going," was the prompt rejoinder of the first lady. "The widow knew the way."

Capt. Robert C. Warr, about to retire from sea life after 40 years of it, said on the Campania:

"Yes, it is true that sea captains are sometimes annoyed by passengers who think they know more about navigation than the navigator."

"I know a captain to whom a passenger once said:

"What town is this we are approaching, sir?"

"No, cap, you are mistaken. Look at this map here. According to this map it is Portland. There's nothing like the captain said nothing, and a moment later the passenger asked:

"What channel is that, captain?"

"Mellin's channel, sir."

"Why, mate, you're wrong again! The map gives it as Mellin's channel."

"Three or four times this sort of thing went on. The passenger, pointing to a gull, said:

"What kind of a gull is that, cap?"

"Look at your map and find out, the captain gruffly answered."

WORDS

An unkind word was rudely, easily hurled.

At one whose face wore smiles, whose heart was glad.

Like poisoned, barbed spear it pierced and stung.

Till smiles were tears and happy heart was sad.

A word of love, a smile, a handclasp true.

Was given one whose heart was torn with grief.

Like soothing, perfumed balm it healed and healed.

The tears were smiles, the heart found sweet relief.

—Clara A. Parker-Fuller, in S. S. Times.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Thru at Work

Bookkeeping Express: Hard work at bookkeeping seems to be having a remarkable effect on the health and spirits of Harry Thaw. It is a pity that he could not have thought of this sure recipe for normal and contented mind years ago when he had his freedom and before the unfortunate deed that was responsible for his present whereabouts.

Taft's Veto

Springfield Union: President Taft has vetoed the immigration bill because of the literacy test which it imposed, but so large was the majority which the measure received in congress that it is thought it may be passed over the veto. It is to be hoped this will not be done. The literacy test would afford no remedy against illiterate immigrants. It is intended to correct it would add \$1,000,000 to the annual cost of enforcing our immigration regulations; and more important than all else, it is a wrong provision. An American in principle and likely to cause incalculable economic loss to the nation by depriving us of some of the best alien elements that come to us.

Militant Suffragettes

Bradford Enterprise: Only a few years ago we were all told that India who had reached the years of discretion were supposed to behave most circumspectly and politely in public, at least. The militant suffragettes in England and the theory all away. Their performances have

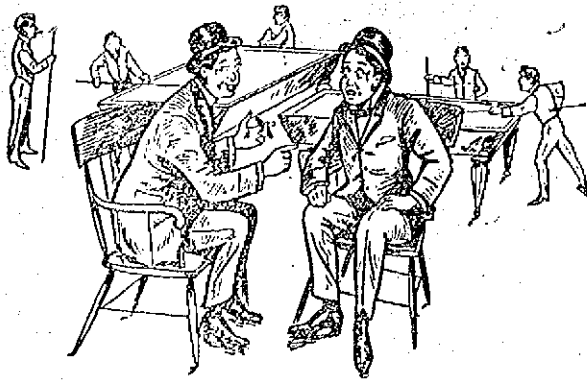
How my friends have multiplied these

30 odd years!



The H-O Company, Buffalo, N.Y. Sifters of H-O, Force and Presto.

THE GOVE CO., Wholesale and Retail Milliners, with stores in Lawrence and Haverhill, has bought out Gregoire's Millinery Store. Wait for the big clean-up sale of the Gregoire stock, starting Feb. 22nd.



AT THE CLUB

"The city of Lowell is fast making its way up among the leaders, Bill, old man, and before long it will be hard to find a municipality that is better equipped throughout than is the Spindle City. For example, look at the 'Flying Squadron' which Albenus Barrett is making of the fire department. In a short time the fire department of Lowell will consist entirely of auto trucks as is the case in the bigger cities."

"Perhaps you're right, Joe," responded Bill, "but on the other hand, thinking of the great cost of maintaining that flying squadron as you call it, is it worth while to the city to pay so much money out at this time for new fire apparatus just to make it take on the appearance of a metropolis?"

"Sure, why not? You don't mean to tell me that you belong to that class of perpetual kickers that are constantly yelling out against anything that tends to make the city up-to-date in some particular feature, do you? Why the auto fire trucks are the greatest things going and in the end may prove cheaper than the horse apparatus of the past. And before long the horse is bound to be a thing of the past as far as carrying the department to fires is concerned."

"No, I do not consider myself a perpetual kicker, but when I see any needless extravagance, I do not hesitate about giving my opinion on the matter as a true citizen should. But mind, I have not said that this purchasing of new auto fire trucks is a needless expense; I only remarked that it might turn out to be and that there is room for a question in the matter. Look at the police patrol, for instance; a short time ago it was taken to a garage for repairs and kept there for

reached the point where they are no longer even to be passed as miserable attempts at jokes. They destroy property, cause riots, break glass—some of them are veritable headbangers, as much so as the male 'Hooligans' who have been the despair of London at times. The performance of Friday, when two women flaunting 'Votes for Women' banners strove to force themselves through the throngs at the memorial service to Capt. Scott and his band at St. Paul's in London, was the extreme of indecency. It is charitable to suppose that some of these women have had their heads turned by the excitement and fury of the scenes through which they have passed, and that they are disgracing their cause and their sex."

Engineering Triumphs

Lyons Item: Engineering triumphs, such as would have been called great a few years ago, but now get little world attention, are the two tunnels whose cutting through the Pyrenees has been completed within a few weeks. One of them will be a link in a line from Paris to Cartagena, the Spanish port facing Oran on the African coast, and only 100 miles away, and where will be the terminus of the railway which will connect Algeria with France and the cities of Morocco with the Mediterranean.

Wild Birds

Boston Post: On the 22nd of January, in response to a tremendous outpouring of public sentiment and newspaper and news item, the United States government control over all our migratory birds was passed unanimously by the United States senate. It is now awaiting a vote in the house.

The time for a decision upon any measure is now short. How easy a thing it would be to stultify in the great rush of the closing days of a congress has been sadly proven many a time. This bird bill, which is of no ordinary interest to all our citizens, would doubtless pass if it could be put on the active calendar. Perhaps a new campaign of letters to members of the house of representatives would turn the trick.

"Uncle Joe"

Worcester Post: The banquet to "Uncle Joe" Cannon in Washington, Saturday night, with burlesque, songs and speeches and prizes from Pres. Taft, Chief Justice White, Speaker Clark, Leader Underwood and all of the rest, looks curious in the evolution of the uprising of sentiment against him two years ago. But that was just because of what Cannon represented. The tributes now to his qualities as a man are equally deserved.

British Airship Scare

Foster's Daily Democrat: The British people—for the coalition government and the opposition are going hand in hand in this matter—are having a great deal of nerves over foreign air ships. Colonel Seely, the secretary for war, has rushed a bill through the house of commons in three days, as we learn from a London despatch to the New York Times, and early this week the house of lords is expected to give its assent to it. This bill provides that any airship discovered in the sky may be fired at. After a warning signal has been given and has not been answered.

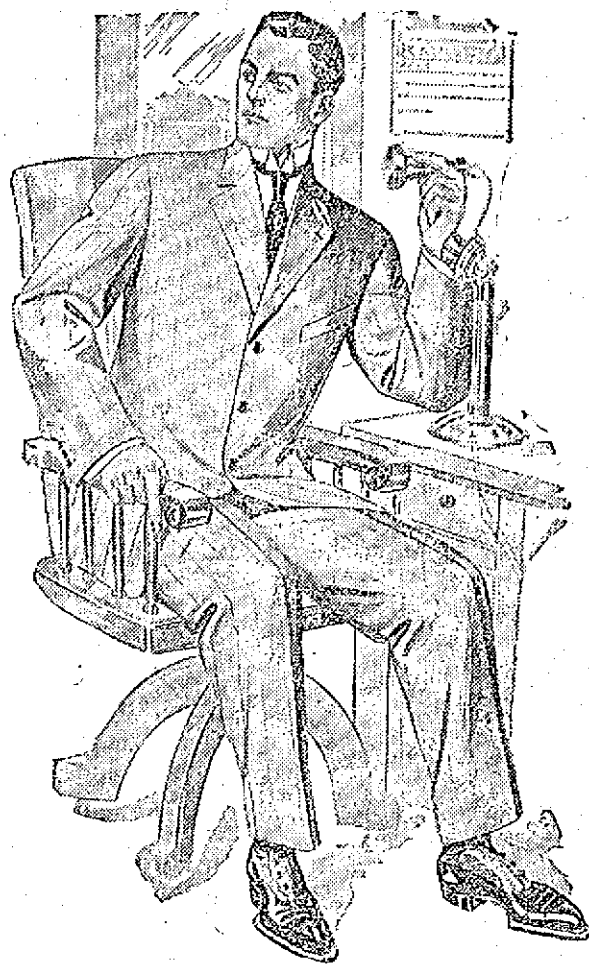
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SECOND HAND CLOTHIERS

Given Hearing Before License Commission

The recent arraignment of several men for keeping second hand shops without licenses gave rise to the hearing at the meeting of the board of license commissioners last night at which the principal business was the noting of the remonstrances from the police department against the granting of licenses to these men.

Dealers in second hand clothing seem to be of the opinion that they do not require a license to conduct a business and too they have been neglecting to fulfill the law by reporting the property received by them. Consequently there are several cases now pending in the police court against men who are charged with offenses of this kind. They were present last night and at the conclusion of the hearing in their cases, most of the licenses were finally granted and the applicants promised to be good and obey the law in the future.

Among the other licenses applied for and acted upon at the session of last night were the following:

Licenses to buy and sell second-hand clothing granted to Harry Levy, 223 Dutton street; Morris Schulman, 231 Middlesex street, and Isaac Zelin of 300 Broadway. The application of Jacob Gelfman of 375 Middlesex street was tabled and he was given leave to withdraw.

Applications for hawkers and peddlers' licenses granted to Joseph Emund, 644 Market street; Albert Provencher, 21 Arch street, and William Boissonneault, of 18 Parker street. Common victualer's license granted to Elizabeth Wilcox of 177 Church street. The license of John Durand, of 251 Central street, was surrendered and ordered cancelled.

The application of Constantinos Leotsakos for the transfer of a billiard and pool license from 155 Moody street to 352 Suffolk street, was granted.

The application of Kinder Hassan for a transfer of a license to sell ice cream, fruit, confectionery, etc., on the Lord's day, from 249 Middlesex street to 183 East Merrimack street, was granted.

Applications for the renewal of auctioneers' licenses were granted to Abel R. Campbell, of 417 Middlesex street, and to Walter E. Gazette, of 53 Central street.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Betsy Ross Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., was held last night and during the session the members transacted considerable business of an important nature. March 4 has been set as the date for the next gathering.

Loyal Victoria Lodge

The members of Loyal Victoria lodge, I. O. O. F., met in regular session last night with a very large attendance for bringing in a large number of new members. Sister Bamber received an Old Ladies' Pin. An entertainment including excellent piano solos by Sister Mary Joy was enjoyed. On February 27, the staff association will meet with Mrs. Ada Fletcher at 43 Congrove street.

Garfield Colony

Garfield Colony, No. 54, U. O. P. F., held its regular meeting last night and observed its 31st anniversary with an informal celebration. There was a luncheon and entertainment and addresses delivered by officers and members. In the business session, the treasurer reported that the beneficiaries of the late Eliza Randall and Dr. Bartlett had received the amounts for which they were insured.

Mustaches at Harvard

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—The mustache, whether it be thick or shaggy or sparse and wiry, is an outward indication of brains, culture and wisdom at Harvard. Everywhere at the university the tabular advertisement and the students who spend their recreation hours in cultivating hair tips may be pardoned for their seeming over-diligence, since the professors at Harvard wear lip fringe almost to a man.

THE GREATEST MONUMENT TO THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY

EVERY patriotic American carries a monument of admiring remembrance to George Washington in his heart; so that even without a statue or obelisk standing in his honor the name of the first president would still be unforgotten. But all humanity requires the outward and visible form for that which it inwardly feels; hence, the Nation has long since erected the greatest shaft in the world to the man who was certainly one of its greatest commanders—both in war and in peace.

Long before the death of the Father of his Country the Continental Congress had decreed that "an equestrian statue of General Washington be erected at the place where the residence of Congress shall be established. It shall be supported by a marble pedestal, in which must be represented four principal events of the war in which he commanded in person."

However, the passage of the act was not followed by any legislative action looking to its practical execution. Sixteen years elapsed before this ambitious project even took sufficient hold on the people to be even seriously considered. In 1799 John Marshall made a motion, in the House of Representatives, that "a marble monument be erected by the United States, at the City of Washington, and that the family of General Washington be requested to permit his body to be deposited under it." A committee was appointed to carry out the project and Mr. Henry Lee was made its chairman.

It directed that the resolutions of the Congress of 1783 be carried out and the inscription approved by it be engraved upon the base of the monument. This report was, however, amended by the House as a whole in favor of a "mausoleum of American granite and marble, in pyramidal form, one hundred feet square at the base and of a proportionate height."

On New Year's Day, 1801, the House of Representatives passed a bill appropriating the sum of \$200,000 for the monument, and the people in general thought that at last it would be started. But statesmen of yesterday seem to have been as proficient in delaying matters of legislation as their sons of today, for the Senate failed to concur in the act and the entire project was allowed to languish through the stirring years leading up to the War of 1812. Indeed, more than thirty years elapsed before anything definite was done toward erecting the monument or even deciding upon a design.

In 1833 the Washington National Monument Society was founded by several patriotic men of Washington who had become disgusted with the procrastination of Congress. These public-spirited citizens determined to have a statue, or monument of Washington if it had to be obtained without the aid of Congress. John Marshall, the great Chief Justice, though nearly eighty years old, was chosen as the first president of the Society and Judge William Cranch, eminent as a jurist, became the first vice-president. With a board of thirteen managers they obtained subscriptions enough to start the achievement. In 1845 Congress, probably through a sense of its own impotence, authorized

the Society to build the monument and the present site was selected—no doubt because it was the one picked out by George Washington in 1795 as suitable for a revolutionary monument he had hoped to see erected.

No restrictions were placed on the plans for the monument, so far as regards the design or form of the sculptor; and a great many—some of them of almost grotesque proportions—were

plotted structure so perfectly carried out the desires of its creators.

Yet even the Mills' conception was far more be-trimmed and ornamented than the monument as it appears at present. The first design provided for a shaft 600 feet high, to be surmounted, at the height of one hundred feet from the ground, by a Corinthian colonnade encircled by groups of equestrian statuary. Over the

At last the long shimmering patriot-lism boiled up and over! The populace acted as frenzied as a typical French mob. Seizing the long ropes which had been attached to the truck, thousands of people dragged at them along the entire length of Pennsylvania avenue to Fourteenth street and southward to the bridge crossing the old Canal and making an island of South Washington.

Here the public's zeal proved greater than its wisdom, and, every one pulling in mass, the combined weight of people and marble broke down the further end of the bridge. The embryo cornerstone was dumped into the water and there reposed until mechanical appliances could be brought from the Navy Yard to drag the stone from its watery bed.

The President of the United States is always president of the Monument Society, so James K. Polk presided over the cornerstone-laying exercises on July Fourth, 1848, of which the Grand Lodge of Masons of the District of Columbia had charge. A spacious chamber had been cut into the stone and lined with copper plate. It was made the repository for various charts, newspapers, maps, portraits, coins and documents.

Copies of the Constitution of the United States and the Declaration of Independence were the first papers laid in the recess. Then followed a large design of the Washington monument, with the fac-simile of the names of the Presidents of the United States to date and of other men of prominence; an historical sketch of the monument since its inception; a portrait of Washington, from Stuart's portrait at Faneuil Hall, Philadelphia; a copy of the grant for the site of the monument under the joint resolution of Congress; Watterson's New Guide to Washington—which is a rare curiosity in these days when what was then very far out into the country is now a vista of apartment houses and stores.

Also—all the coins of the United States, a coat of arms of the Washington family; a daguerrotype of General and Mrs. Washington, with a penny of 1783, the year in which the monument was first planned; astronomical observations for 1845; and various leading newspapers and periodicals all were worthy of a place in the little hollow.

From then on contributions poured in from banks, from school children, generous citizens, patriotic and fraternal societies and even from enter-tainments, until either the country's enthusiasm or cash was exhausted. The shaft had reached the height of 152 feet and there the stone workers had to put a full stop. In 1875 Congress made an appropriation for its completion and the actual work was put in charge of Col. Thomas L. Casey, of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.

As his report showed the monument to be none too safe, its foundations were deepened from twenty to thirty-eight feet and the eighty-foot square forming the base was broadened to one hundred and twenty-six and a half feet. But another change had occurred which not even skilled engineering could overcome. All the marble had been obtained from the same Maryland quarry to the time of the cessation of activity. When work was resumed this same quarry

was called upon to furnish the stone needed for completing the shaft.

But while Congress was debating, other people had been buying; all the marble from that particular section of the quarry was exhausted. So it became necessary to get it from another part and there was just enough difference in its veining, combined with the greater aging of the section already standing to make a distinct

ing a flawless great white marble with an eagle representing Liberty, Independence and virtue; two quills crossed and the words, "By deeds of peace" underneath; William Penn smoking the sachem with two war-battered Indians and, opposite, foaming horses trampling over a battle-ground and ships at sea—thus portraying the advance of civilization. The City of Philadelphia sent a stone

with a lion's mouth for a companion and the goddesses of Plenty and Justice in the background.

Nevada sent a stone with her name spelled out by great solid silver letters embedded in its surface. Gradually the cupid of sightseers overcame their honesty until only one letter remained. This was removed to a place of safety and, to the utter chagrin of all sons of Nevada, the marble was gilded over so that now the silver State has her name picked out in gold—at least it looks gold!

Connecticut sent a dark brown stone typical of the Nutmeg State and Massachusetts proved herself possessed of an embarrassment of subjects by sending trophies from Bunker Hill, Salem, Roxbury and Lowell.

Rhode Island has an anchor of hope on her tablet. California has something of everything conceivable and also the inscription "California, youngest State of the Union, brings her tribute to the memory of its father."

Sixteen cities; fifteen lodges of Free Masons, thirteen of Odd Fellows, seven Sons of Temperance, political organizations, fire departments, the Oldest Inhabitants Association of Washington, D. C., Sons of New England in Canada and Americans in Foo-Chow, China, are represented in the monument by tributes of stone.

The Chapel of William Tell in Switzerland appropriately sent a tablet. The Temple of Asclepius, the ruins of Carthage, the tomb of Napoleon at St. Helena and a library in Egypt are noted among the many inscriptions distinguishing the tablets which line the interior walls to nearly half the monument's height.

Sam has a single black stone bearing its name. The stone from Brazil contains a sparkling crown, because royalty then ruled there. On a purple-veined marble slab dignified Persia tells in Arabic of her veneration for George Washington.

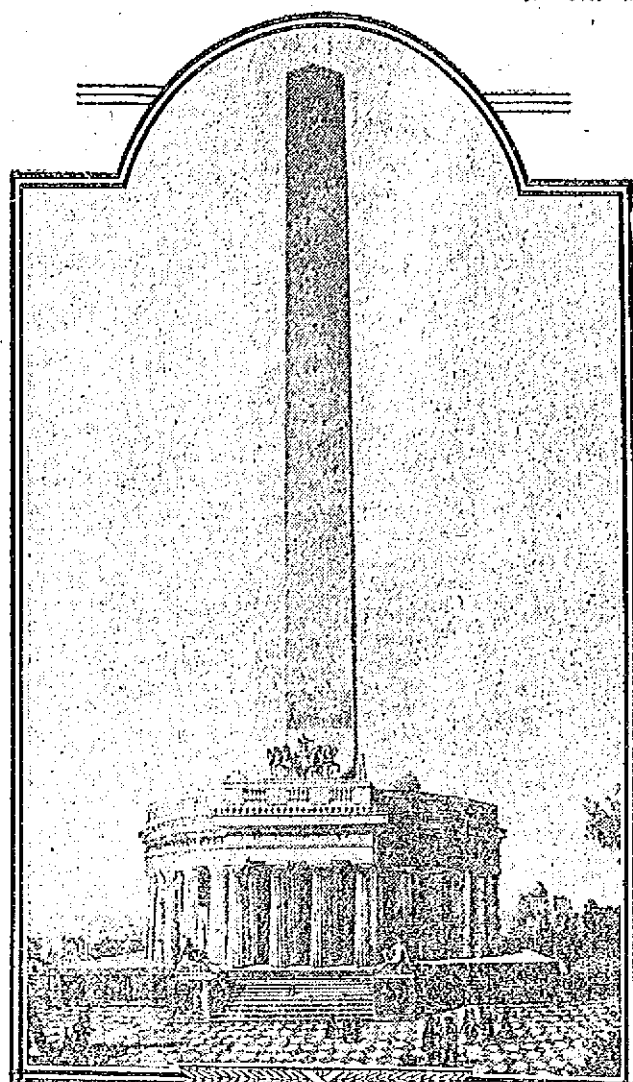
Greece sent a bit of marble from the Parthenon.

The practical workings of the mighty monolith will be of interest to the business man who would rather know that it costs \$11,820 annually to keep it in good condition than that the yearly average of tourists who go to the top, by stairway or elevator, is about 155,000.

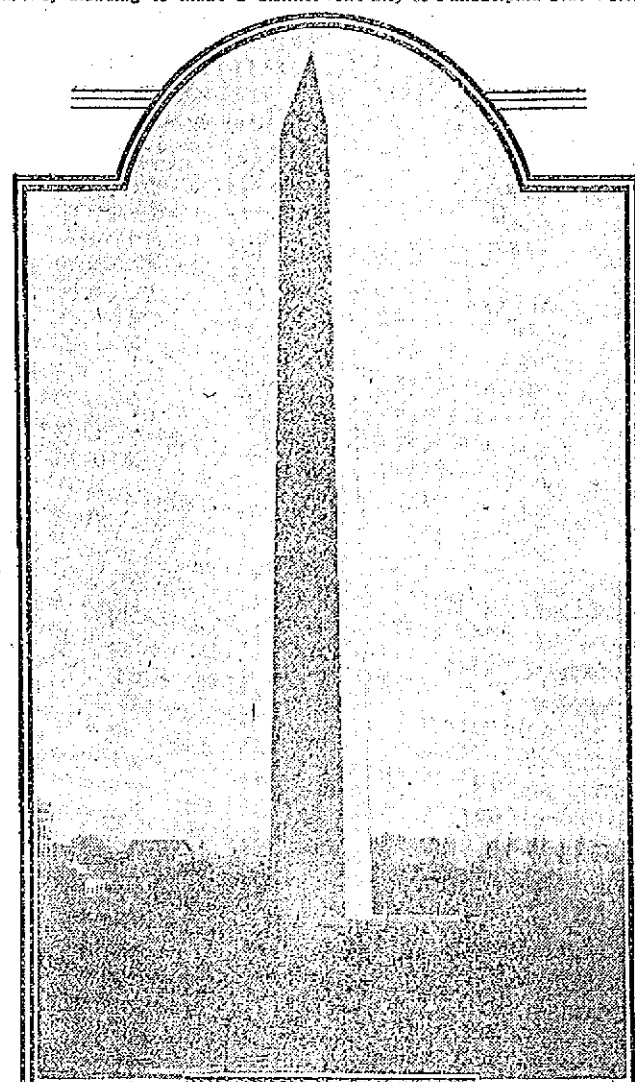
These facts were obtained from Spencer Crosby, Major, Corps of Engineers, and Colonel, U. S. A., who has charge of the management of the Washington Monument although, of course, the National Monument Society would be deferred to in event of any radical change contemplated.

As a matter of fact only by a special act of Congress can any additional contributions be made, except tablets from the seven newest States. And these appear as strangely indifferent to the honor as were their early predecessors.

Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Colorado, Wyoming, Washington and Idaho have been notified that the monument is ready for their tablets. But they fail to respond. No individual name is allowed upon the tablets nor any inscription save that of the State name and some patriotic sentiment; so there is no great incentive for the self-laudatory type of American to hustle around collecting money for such tributes.



Original Design for the Washington Monument



The Monument as Finally Completed

received. Of them all, one by Robert Mills was selected. It called for a far more elaborate affair than the rugged monolith that has stood for so many years at the "back-gate" of the White House. The Society had insisted that the successful plan must harmoniously blend "durability, simplicity and grandeur."

And a tourist of today, whether practical, fanciful or a cynic, gazing upon the five hundred and fifty-five feet of tapering whiteness that rears its cap so determinedly into the air, must admit that seldom has any com-

portico the designer planned to have a huge statue of Washington in a chariot drawn by six horses and driven by the Goddess of Victory.

The cornerstone was laid with most impressive ceremonies following a series of mishaps. Cut from a quarry at Cockeysville, Maryland, despite the oratorical plea of the eloquent Winthrop to "construct it of the peerless Babylon marble," the huge block was brought to Washington on a special freight train and carefully placed upon a truck built to haul it to its present site.

and nationally humiliating marking where the newer portion was joined on.

Inside the monument there are 179 memorial stones, beginning at thirty feet and ending at 230 feet. Forty States are represented. Many world-noted spots have contributed romanticized bits of marble to honor the memory of Washington and beautify his monument.

Pennsylvania leads them all in the number and beauty of her contributions. Sixteen stones were sent by the Keystone State, the chief one be-

cut to represent a picture with a frame in bold relief.

Several of the States merely sent blocks with the State name in simple script. Little Delaware earned for her tablet a place among those which will never be forgotten by the tourist by inscribing on its pure surface under a bust of Washington, "The first to adopt will be the last to desert the Constitution."

New Jersey sent a very elaborately carved tribute depicting the life and products of her people—at that time. There is a splendid Minerva, a youth

Where Washington Loved to Linger



Washington From the Gilbert Stuart Portrait

Martha Custis From an Old Painting

The Philadelphia Mansion Yorkers, N. Y.

JUST after the death of Charles I. and the establishment of the Protectorate of Oliver Cromwell, two young men whose genealogy dated back to the Norman Conquest came to Virginia. They were John and Andrew Washington, and in 1657 John purchased a large tract of land in Westmoreland County bordering on the Potomac River. He afterward acquired several hundred acres of land between Dogue Run and Little Hunting Creek, now Fairfax County. This land is now a portion of the Mt. Vernon estate. At the death of John Washington it was bequeathed to his son Lawrence and he afterward willed it to his son Augustine, the father of George Washington. The estate passed from Augustine Washington to his oldest son Lawrence, George being the oldest son by the second marriage. Lawrence Washington married a Miss Fairfax of Virginia and had four children, all of whom died in infancy, and George became the owner of Mt. Vernon by the will of his half-brother before he was twenty years of age.

Early life Washington began a military career, for at the age of fourteen he was given a commission as midshipman under Admiral Vernon for whom Mt. Vernon was named. He was never permitted, however, to see action to the objection of his mother. His father died when he was but eleven years of age, and after his death young George seems to have passed the greater part of his time

at the homes of his two elder brothers, or to be accurate his half-brothers, both of whom were educated men. They superintended the boy's education and he is said to have become unusually proficient in geometry and trigonometry. He showed an aptitude for surveying, and his teacher frequently found him surveying the grounds about the school house. As a schoolboy he was a bad speller and poor grammarian. Both of these defects were overcome in later life and some of his letters are remarkable examples of perfect English. He took special lessons in sword exercise and was noted for his graceful fencing. He paid little attention to books such as "Military Guides," "Arts of War," etc., and his knowledge along these lines was acquired by actual practice rather than from books.

Washington's mother lived to be eighty-three years of age, dying only ten years before Washington himself. During her entire life Washington spared no pains to see that she was made comfortable, and while he visited her at times these visits are said to have been short and frequently unpleasant owing to the complaining disposition of the old lady. Washington's family seems to have given him no little trouble for his brothers as well as his mother had a borrowing tendency and added to this were other family troubles for his younger brothers were unruly at school and his sister Marcella seems to have caused him no little concern on account of

her "lack of care for her clothing." At the age of nineteen Washington was given a position of honor and responsibility by the Virginia Government owing to Indian depredations. His military propensities increased with years, and when Governor Dinwiddie came to Virginia in 1752 Washington was made a major, and in 1754 he became a lieutenant-colonel. At the old Carlisle house at Alexandria, Virginia, which stands in the court yard of the once famous Braddock Hotel he held councils of war with General Braddock, and while the General thought well of the young man's military ideas he refused to listen to

his advice. It is well known how disastrously the expedition ended. In later years Washington frequently visited the Carlisle house and often recalled the war councils there. The illustrious Father of his Country was always fond of the fair sex. Even as a schoolboy he delighted more in playing with girls than in romping with the boys. When but seventeen years of age he fell in love with Mary Carey and wrote love sonnets in her honor. One of his most serious love affairs occurred in 1756, when he had occasion to go to Boston on military business. He stopped outside of New

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THE FURNITURE REMOVED
City Hall Offices Shorn
of Their Beauty

All of the fine furniture and fixtures that made beautiful the offices of the commissioner of streets and the city engineer at city hall are being stored in what was once Commissioner George H. Brown's private office. The furniture and fixtures were bought by Mr. Brown last year. They were bought from Adams & Co. and were never paid for. At a meeting of the municipal council not many weeks ago it was voted to advise Adams & Co. to remove the furniture and fixtures from the city hall. The council refused to do. The company allowed that the furniture was bought in good faith and besides they are not handling second-hand furniture. Upon receiving the company's ultimatum it was decided to store the furniture. The present commissioner of streets and highways, Jas. E. Dunne, informed the municipal council that he did not have any use for the furniture nor for the big office which had been occupied by his predecessor as a private office.

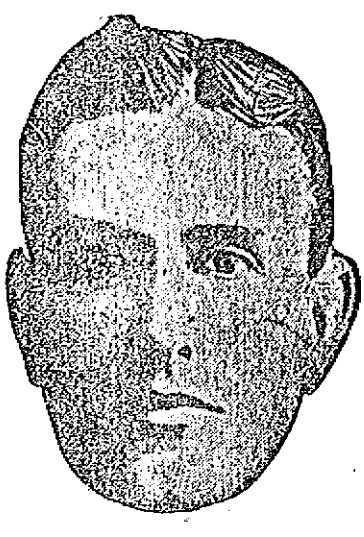
The furniture and fixtures consisting of desks, couch, carpets, draperies, bookcases, window shades, etc., were removed this afternoon under the direction and personal supervision of City Messenger Owen Monahan. Owen said that the toughest part of the whole business was to strip Eugene Kearney's office of its yellow jacket. Mr. Brown furnished the city engineer's office along the same line of elegance as his own private office and Mr. Kearney was quite proud of his office. He knew there was trouble over the furniture purchased by Mr. Brown but he hoped it would be ironed out and that the furniture and fixtures in his office would be allowed to remain. "It is an eviction without landlord or tenant," said Mr. Kearney as he watched two pairs of hands, like unto those of the village blacksmith, tearing at the carpets and removing the furniture.

THE CHARGES FALL FLAT

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Charges against Col. William Seymour Edwards of offering bribes to further his candidacy for United States senator fell flat yesterday when Delegate Rhodes, who made the charge, failed to appear at a preliminary hearing. Justice of the Peace Chester, dismissed the case after Delegate J. M. Smith, named by Rhodes as the man Edwards tried to bribe, testified that he never discussed the senatorial situation with Col. Edwards.

The special grand jury investigating alleged bribery in the legislature continued its inquiry today, but failed to find any further indictments. Among the witnesses heard were State Senator W. A. MacCorkle, Senator Gray Silver, democrat, floor leader, and Pres. Woods of the senate. With but three more days of the regular session of the legislature there is little hope of choosing a successor to United States Senator Clarence W. Watson. Both branches are devoting the closing days of the session to women's suffrage, Virginia-Weaverism, debt, and other proposed legislation.

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PANTS



Special
I want to call your attention to the BLUE SERGES displayed in my windows. I have bought 85 whole bolts of this cloth from the leading worsted mill of this country, the WANSKUK WORSTED MILL, R. I. Your order on these goods can be ready in a week, two weeks, a month, or say Easter. You don't spend your money now. Just give me your order.
(Signed) MITCHELL

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MY FOURTH ANNIVERSARY

\$5.00 TROUSERS FREE

When I opened my Lowell store on the 13th day of February, 1909, I made the people certain promises. As my anniversary rolls around each year, I like to recall those promises publicly so that you may judge as to whether or not I have departed from them during the past year. I look upon my anniversary also as a good occasion upon which to renew those promises for the year to come, so that old customers have always the positive assurance of getting at least as good service as that which pleased them so much in the past. To old and new customers alike, there is always the implied promise of the additional improved service that time must bring to every progressive business.

AS I START MY FIFTH YEAR in the city of Lowell, it is gratifying to me to know— That I have stayed in Lowell four years at least, with further indefinite stay guaranteed, as I promised. That I did not fizzle out in three months, six months or a year, as my competitors predicted from time to time, as I outlived their first and shorter guesses. That I am still a live advertiser, able to use and able to pay for the same generous space I used when I opened in Lowell. That the time did not come when the people would be so painfully aware of the impossibility of my promises, as predicted by competitors, that I could not get enough responses to pay for the ink the publishers used in those advertisements. I believe every merchant should be a newspaper advertiser. The bigger newspaper I help to make, the bigger city I help to make Lowell. I shall continue to do my share in making bigger newspapers. That I am still giving the same beautiful worsteds, style and quality, that competitors said four years ago I would give only a short time, to get the people coming to me. That I still have such confidence in my ability to fit you that I still can afford to make you a new suit every time my help make a mistake on anything you buy in my store.

AS A TOKEN OF MY REGARD—AS A MEMENTO OF THE HAPPY OCCASION OF MY ANNIVERSARY—AS AN INDUCEMENT TO THE OLD CUSTOMER TO FORCE HIS ORDER EARLIER, AND TO THE NEW CUSTOMER TO GIVE ME A TRIAL, I WILL GIVE EACH CUSTOMER ORDERING A SUIT THIS WEEK

A Pair of \$5.00 Pants Absolutely Free

STANDISH WORSTEDS, SHERIFF WORSTEDS, TWEEDS, GRAYS, BLACKS, BROWNS, NOVELTIES IN ALL THE NEUTRAL SHADES.

Suit to Order \$12.50

AFTER SEPARATION OF 25 YEARS CALIFORNIA MEN AT DORR TRIAL

Mother and Son Reunited in This City—Both Thought Each Other Dead

There is no happier couple in Lowell today than Mrs. Nellie Murphy of 75 East Merrimack street, and her son, Henry Watson, aged 36 years, who have met again after being separated for 25 years. Both thought each other dead until a year ago, when Mrs. Murphy found that her son was alive and making his home in Erie, Pa. She immediately corresponded with him, and six weeks ago she went to Erie and there met him, and finally had her first birthplace, Lowell, and the couple arrived yesterday morning. According to Mr. Watson his father died when he was about five years of age. His mother took sick shortly afterward and the little fellow was placed in Mr. Baker's institution in Buffalo, N. Y. He remained there six months and then was adopted by a rich family living on the outskirts of Erie. The boy remained with his foster father until he reached the age of 15, when he started out to see the world. He traveled for many years and finally returned to Erie, where he took unto himself a bride.

Lowell Opera House
JULIUS CAHN, Prop. and Mgr.
ALL THIS WEEK
Afternoons at 2:15
Evenings at 8:15
THE LONERGAN PLAYERS
Direction Lester Lonergan
In the Success of the Century
The Man from Home
A Clean, Wholesome Play.
Prices: Matinee, 10c, 20c, 30c.
Evenings, 20c, 30c, 50c.

Next Week, "THE VIRGINIAN"
THURSDAY, FEB. 27
Direct From the Tremont Theatre, Boston
KLAU & ERLANGER
MILESTONES
The dramatic separation of England and America. With a carefully selected company of actors from London. Direction Joseph Brooks.

Called as Witnesses by the Commonwealth in Murder Case Being Tried at Salem

SALEM, Feb. 12.—Two California witnesses were among the first called by the Commonwealth today when the trial of William A. Dorr of Stockton, Cal., on the charge of murdering Geo. Marsh of Lynn, was resumed. James Marsh of Stockton, a brother of the murdered man, told of a visit which he made at the Marsh home in Lynn a month or more before the crime was committed. His brother, he said, spoke of visiting him in California later. James Marsh, a nephew, was questioned regarding his uncle's habits. Neither man was able to positively identify a cane which is an exhibit in the case as one which the Lynn man was in the habit of carrying. Positive identification of the cane was obtained from Mary A. Miller of Topsfield, former housekeeper in the Marsh home. She testified that on April 1, the day Marsh is supposed to have been killed, he left the house between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon and as he was leaving she handed him the cane to carry.

Lowell Theatre
B. F. Keith's Theatre
WEEK FEB. 17
THE FAMOUS IRISH CHILDREN
America's Foremost Juvenile Stars
Assisted by Sir Kretor
DENNIS BROS.
GEORGE F. HALL
The Yankee Story Teller
AMERICAN DANCERS—G
WILLARD & CAIN
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JENNIE GOLDEN
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NOW PLAYING
THE TEMPLE PLAYERS
Presenting the English Musical Entertainment in one scene.
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OTHER ACTS AND PHOTO-PLAYS
Seats now for Washington's Birthday

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET				STRONG SHOWING				BOSTON MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close	AT THE OPENING OF THE STOCK MARKET TODAY				Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	65 1/2	65 1/2	67 1/2	London Prices Substantially Higher—				Boston & Albany	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Am Best Sugar	35 1/2	34	35 1/2	Many Stocks Point Above Yesterday's closing at 1 o'clock				Boston Elevated	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Am Can	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2	NEW YORK, February 19.—The				Boston & Maine	94	94	94
Am Can pf	124	123 1/2	124	market made a strong showing at the opening today. Practically all				RAILROADS			
Am Car & Fm	51 1/2	50	50 1/2	the favorite issues advanced smartly				Adventure	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Am Car & Fm pf	115	115	115	in response to a good demand, com-				Albany	34	34	34
Am Hide & L pf	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	ing largely from the short interest.				Albany	34	34	34
Am Locomo	37 1/2	37	37	Canadian Pacific advanced 2 1/2. Utah				Albany	34	34	34
Am Smelt & R	70 1/2	68 1/2	70 1/2	Copper 13-4, and Union Pacific and				Albany	34	34	34
Am Smelt & R pf	104	104	104	Reading 1-4. Goodrich developed fur-				Albany	34	34	34
Am Sugar Rfn	115 1/2	115	115 1/2	ther weakness, failing back a point.				Albany	34	34	34
Auacana	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2	Futile efforts were made to hold the				Albany	34	34	34
Aichison	101 1/2	101	101 1/2	opening advantage. An increasing vol-				Albany	34	34	34
Atch pf	101	101	101	ume of sales ultimately swept away				Albany	34	34	34
Bait & Ohio	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	all opposition and forced prices to a				Albany	34	34	34
Cap & Ohio	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	parity with yesterday's lowest or be-				Albany	34	34	34
Canadian Pa	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	low. Steel, Amalgamated and Penn-				Albany	34	34	34
Cast & Pipe	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	sylvania among others, reached a new				Albany	34	34	34
Cent Leather	27	26 1/2	27	low level. Chesapeake & Ohio went				Albany	34	34	34
Cent Leather pf	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2	down a point and Lackawanna dropped				Albany	34	34	34
Ches & Ohio	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	several points.				Albany	34	34	34
Cit & Gt W	15	15	15	Despite the sharp decline in stocks				Albany	34	34	34
CCC & St. L	53	53	53	yesterday London prices for Americans				Albany	34	34	34
Col Fuel	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	for today's opening were substantially				Albany	34	34	34
Consol Gas	132 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2	higher. Bull operators here took ad-				Albany	34	34	34
Del L & W	100	100	100	vantage of the rise abroad and the				Albany	34	34	34
Erie 1st pf	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	indications that the Mexican situation				Albany	34	34	34
Erie 2d pf	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	is clearing to bid up prices on the				Albany	34	34	34
Gen Elec	130	129	130	shorts. Persistent selling of certain				Albany	34	34	34
Gen Elec pf	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	specialties renewed bear attacks				Albany	34	34	34
Gl N Ore	54	54	54	movement the market went up grad-				Albany	34	34	34
Illinois Cen	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	ually again and reached a higher level				Albany	34	34	34
Int Met	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	than at the outset.				Albany	34	34	34
Int Met com pf	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	Business and receding prices ensued				Albany	34	34	34
Int Paper	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	when the note, urgent covering had				Albany	34	34	34
Int Paper pf	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	been completed. Reactions, however,				Albany	34	34	34
In S Pump Co	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	were not extensive and at 1 o'clock				Albany	34	34	34
Kan City So	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	many stocks were quoted a point or				Albany	34	34	34
Kan & Tex	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	more above yesterday's closing.				Albany	34	34	34
Kan & Tex pf	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	Fresh weakness in Chesapeake &				Albany	34	34	34
Lehigh Valley	155 1/2	155 1/2	155 1/2	Ohio lowered it to 70 1/2 and increased				Albany	34	34	34
Louis & Nash	132 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2	the reactionary movement elsewhere.				Albany	34	34	34
Nat Lead	80	80	80	Buying of steel and Reading later had				Albany	34	34	34
N Y & Bk	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	a steady effect.				Albany	34	34	34
N Y Cent	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	The market closed strong. Prices				Albany	34	34	34
Nor & West	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2	climbed upwards in brisk fashion as				Albany	34	34	34
North Pac	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	the day drew to a close. Steel, U. S.				Albany	34	34	34
Pennsylvania	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2	Reading and Lehigh scored gains an-				Albany	34	34	34
People's Gas	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	proximating two points, and other im-				Albany	34	34	34
Pullman Co	159	159	159	portant stocks also gave a good ad-				Albany	34	34	34
Reading	152 1/2	152 1/2	152 1/2	vance but the subsidence of recent				Albany	34	34	34
Rup Iron & S	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	alarmist reports also had some stren-				Albany	34	34	34
Rock Is	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	gth effects and induced some buying for				Albany	34	34	34
St L & So W	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	the long account.				Albany	34	34	34
St Paul	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Local copper				Albany	34	34	34
So Pac	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	shares recovered somewhat from yes-				Albany	34	34	34
Southern Ry	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	terday's slump during the early hours				Albany	34	34	34
Southern Ry pf	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	today. The Boston rose 1-2 to 24 1/4				Albany	34	34	34
Tenn Copper	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	and Granby advanced 2 to 57 1/2. The				Albany	34	34	34
Texas pac	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	market was broad and trading em-				Albany	34	34	34
Third Ave	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	braced good sized lots.				Albany	34	34	34
Union Pac	167 1/2	167 1/2	167 1/2	Cotton Futures				Albany	34	34	34
U S Steel	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	February				Albany	34	34	34
U S Steel pf	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	March				Albany	34	34	34
U S Steel 3d	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	April				Albany	34	34	34
Utah Copper	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	May				Albany	34	34	34
Wabash R	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	June				Albany	34	34	34
Wab R pf	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	July				Albany	34	34	34
Westinghouse	70	69 1/2	70	August				Albany	34	34	34

FUNERAL NOTICE
BREED—The funeral service of Anna Breese will be held at the funeral home of John J. Weinbach, 16 Market street, Thursday at 10 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

THE PLAYHOUSE
"MRS. WARREN'S PROFESSION"
Given by THE DRAMA PLAYERS
Order your seats for Saturday. Washington's Birthday, now or you will be disappointed.
Performances twice daily.

THE STATE EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

Report of the Three Offices at
Boston, Springfield and
Fall River

The sixth annual report of the state free employment offices at Boston, Springfield and Fall River has just been issued and makes interesting reading. The total number of positions filled in the six years ending Nov. 30, 1912, was 16,525, and the number for the respective years since 1906 being: 1907 to 1912, both inclusive, being as follows: 16,510, 14,955, 17,741, 20,574, 21,155, 22,577.

The positions reported filled by the three offices during the past year were:

Occupations	Males	Females	Total
Agricultural pursuits	1,637	11	1,648
Professional service	44	4	48
Domestic and personal service	5,501	8,230	13,731
Trade and transport	3,237	457	3,694
Manufacturing and mechanical pursuits	4,658	1,382	6,040
Apprentices	222	3	225
Totals	16,500	10,087	26,587

The Boston Office

In reviewing the work of the Boston office during the past year, the superintendent writes as follows: I have continued to issue a monthly labor market letter, simply containing my remarks to a more statement of facts as we saw them at this office. The labor market throughout the year has been exceedingly good, especially since June 1. Machine, shoe and furniture makers and building tradesmen have been in great demand and at times efficient workmen have been in short supply. There has been an increased demand for boot and shoe makers as compared with last year; this is partly accounted for by the fact that a number of shoe factories have moved to Boston where help could be more readily obtained than in the more remote country districts. Textile help (female) has been called

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A Great Chance for the Public to Buy at Cut Prices

A piano sale here is always a sacrifice, always a bargain sale, always a mark-down sale. The very nature of the business here is one of sacrifice. The business here is to sell pianos at a profit. We don't let any piano loaf around our floors; a sacrifice tag is clipped on which the face of it reads competition, and it is sold to the first wise man or woman for the price marked. We cut and double cut prices on all makes alike; we ask no favors, we want none, and we give none. In sales like these someone's loss is your gain, the profit is all yours. The finest instruments of the world's best makers are in the sacrifice list.

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SOME NEW—SOME USED MORE—SOME LESS

McPhail Upt.	\$ 75	Hubert & Davis Upt.	\$ 50
Kimball Upt.	\$125	Dall & Sons Upt.	\$250
Dehning Upt.	\$ 30	McPhail Upt.	\$ 85
Ivory & Pond Upt.	\$ 30	Schuman Upt.	\$125
Haynes Upt.	\$105	Emerson Upt.	\$ 75
H. F. Miller Upt.	\$ 85	Stefanow Upt.	\$135
Chickering Upt.	\$ 65	Vose Upt.	\$ 85
Brace & Birch Upt.	\$ 90	H. F. Miller Upt.	\$ 90

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On account of holiday this week, we will be open until 9 p. m. Friday.

BIG STRIKE IS AVERTED

Longshoremen Not to
Quit Work

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—All danger of a strike of the Boston longshoremen, dock freight handlers and steamship clerks is over, and the final settlement, with increased wages for the longshoremen and a continuation of all the old working rules for which those men insisted, will probably be made within a day or two with the steamship agents.

Yesterday the Trans-Atlantic Steamship Agents' conference held a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. No formal action as to what took place would be made public, nor would it be stated whether international Pres. B. V. O'Connor and other officers of the longshoremen attended.

Last night at a special meeting of Trans-Atlantic Steamship Clerks' union at Roughan hall the members voted unanimously not to longer insist upon the consideration which they have been demanding, released the longshoremen from their obligation to sustain the clerks, and left them free to settle the longshoremen's differences with the steamship agents, which have been pending since the strike of last year.

The clerks' requests have been the contention over which the final hitch between the agents and the longshoremen's committee occurred.

T. V. O'Connor of Buffalo, international president of the A. F. of L. Longshoremen's union, with which the clerks' organization is affiliated; international Vice Pres. William Thompson of this city and A. J. Chiopek of Toledo and New England Organizer Frank H. McCarthy of the A. F. of L. were speakers at the meeting last night.

A special meeting of the A. F. of L. Longshoremen's trade council is called for tonight at Roughan hall, Charlestown. The meeting, it is believed, will instruct its committee to sign up with the agents' committee.

DRESS COST CAN BE CUT

Chicago Woman Says
"Wear Dress 3 Years"

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—Madame Mary J. Hosae, president of the Chicago Dressmakers' association, said last night because of her long experience, advanced a plan by which women may dress more cheaply.

Women are "dressing" much more cheaply now than in 1903, asserts Madame Hosae, but there is still room for a reduction in the high cost of dressing.

Wear Gowns Longer

"It is this: Wear your gowns three or four years instead of discarding them after the first year."

"There is no reason why a woman should not wear a gown at least three years, if she is careful," Madame Hosae continued.

"To do this a woman should plan her gowns for the season. The average woman can get along with five gowns a day dress, a tailored suit, an afternoon gown, a reception gown and an evening gown."

"The gowns should be well made and of a conservative style. The trouble is with women they don't wear their dresses long enough. They cast them off after a year."

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SPECIAL
SALE

Millard F. Wood's
JEWELER

104 Merrimack Street,
Facing John

One lot of a dozen tea sets; some to be discontinued, others are broken sets; all are beautiful patterns, highest grade, at 33 per cent. discount.

We have a large lot of trays, bowls, candelabra, fern dishes, spoons, knives, and forks, at special prices to close out. A lot of celery trays, water sets, vases, etc., all in fine cut glass, at 33 1-3 per cent. discount.

All strictly first class goods. It will pay you to purchase now.

proved your bakery in the past five or ten years. The public may not know. Tell them.

3d. You know how much care is bestowed in every stage of breadmaking, from mixing the doughs to delivering the finished product. Lots of good people are ignorant of the great strides that have been made by progressive bakers.

4th. You know that only the best and purest materials go into your bread. You know that you use Fleischmann's yeast. All these points can be profitably impressed upon the public.

5th. You know that the baking industry has been aided in its development by good, clean, powerful advertising.

6th. You know that for every dollar's worth of yeast a baker buys he gets \$10 to \$20 worth of local surplus you who are in the bread business will get 40 to 50 times as much benefit as the Fleischmann Co. out of every dollar's worth of increased bread business brought about by the John Dough—But More Bread Campaign.

The point is, whether you have been in the habit of advertising or not, you can secure for yourself the greatest benefit from the Lat More Bread publicity work by advertising your bread and your bakery now—while John Dough is in town. And you can get substantial results at a surprisingly small outlay, because every bread advertisement of yours, be it large or small, will have the effect of being larger, because it will be linked in the minds of the public with the big John Dough—But More Bread advertisements.

It pays to advertise and now is the time it pays most.

TO REORGANIZE SYSTEM

Governor Foss Proposes
Changes in Prison Plan

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—Following a conference with the Rev. George L. Cady on the prison situation in Massachusetts, Governor Foss announced yesterday that he proposed to reorganize the entire system.

It is also stated that it is expected that Prison Commissioner Warren L. Spaulding will resign should the bill giving him a pension be acted upon favorably by the legislature.

The Rev. Mr. Cady was recently before District Attorney Pollitt to explain charges which he had made against the prison system in this state, and yesterday conferred with the governor.

Governor Foss is getting together material for a message on prison reform which he believes will be second in importance only to his message on the railroad situation.

He plans to recommend a system by means of which prisoners shall be fairly compensated for their work, the money which they earn to be turned over to their families. He will also make a classification of prisoners so that the petty offenders need not be obliged to mix with hardened criminals.

FEEL BADLY TODAY?

CASCARETS TONIGHT.

THOROUGHLY CLEANSES YOUR
LIVER AND BOWELS WHILE
YOU SLEEP

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish intestines—you always get the desired results with Cascarets and quickly.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All druggists sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.

DWYER & CO.
PAINTERS, DECORATORS AND
PAPER HANGERS

Estimates on all kinds of jobs, large or small, at 170 Appleton street.

EXPANSION SALE

Thursday Morning at 9 O'Clock

Women's and Misses' Outer Apparel
Cloaks, Suits, Dress Skirts and Waists

We have outgrown our store in the New Bradley Building in less than eight months and have taken the next store formerly occupied by W. B. Powrie's Specialty Shop. Carpenters, electricians and painters have been busy making two stores into one. Our entire stock, all new Fall and Winter styles, is included in this tremendous sacrifice. This is not a sale of odds and ends or shop-worn goods, but a genuine expansion sale of all our High Grade Garments. Come early for best selections while assortments are complete.

COATS

Women's Long Black Plaid Backs,
worth \$5.00. This sale

\$1.98

MILLINERY

About 364 Trimmed Hats, all new
Fall shapes. We are going to
discontinue this Dept. This lot
will be sold at about cost of
making.

New Spring Suits

All the popular shades for
Spring wear, worth up to \$18
and \$20.

\$10.98 and up

Here's your chance to save \$3
to \$5 on your new suit.

DRESSES

Women's White Dresses, newest
styles, made to sell for \$7.50.

This sale..... **\$3.98**

Spring Coats

Just arrived from New York,
about 275 New Spring Coats,
made to sell for

\$5.98

Children's
Coats

All new Fall and Winter styles,
worth \$3.50. Special sale price.....

69c

THE
COATS

In this sale include Dressy Street Coats and
models for semi-dress occasions, both colors and mix-
tures, Broadcloths, Serges, Diagonals and Rough
Finished Worsteds, also Fancy Novelty Combination, Plain
Tailored or Fancy Trimmed Styles. Former prices—

Now	Now	Now	Now
\$7.50	\$10.00	\$12.50	\$15 and \$18
\$2.98	\$3.98	\$6.98	\$7.98

LARGE LOT OF
Children's Coats

All new effects, former prices \$4 to
\$6.50. This sale

98c to \$1.39

Come and see these bargains.

3 Women's Long Fur Coats, Skinner
satin lined, value \$25. To close out, \$14.00

Women's Muffs, value \$4.00. To close
out, 88c

Neck Scarfs.....93c and Upwards

A Good Time to
Buy a

About 43 to go at.....

\$1.98

we are offering our \$8.00 lines of Dresses

\$2.98

we have picked them from our \$12 line,
and now the price is.....

\$3.98

LOTS OF WAISTS CHEAP

LOTS OF SKIRTS CHEAP

CAN YOU AFFORD TO MISS THIS?

UNITED CLOAK AND SUIT STORE

153-157 Central Street

New Bradley Building

EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES WANTED. APPLY AT ONCE

BAPTIST UNION MEETING

Held at Calvary Baptist
Church Last Evening

A Baptist union meeting was held
last night at the Calvary Baptist
church and was largely attended. At
7 o'clock supper was served and an
hour later the gathering adjourned to
the auditorium, where addresses were
made on the work of the church.

George H. Taylor of the First Baptist
church presided and among those who
spoke were: Rev. Robert L. Webb of
Haverhill, who has charge of the Mer-
rimack valley district missionary work;
Dr. Warren G. Partridge of the Calvary
Baptist church of Troy, N. Y.; Mrs.
George W. Coleman of Boston, and Dr.
L. F. Haggard of Boston, home secre-
tary of the American Baptist Foreign
Missionary society.

All the speakers devoted their re-
marks to missionary work, its accom-
plishment and the plans for the future.
They also referred to the \$3,000,000
campaign, which promises great results
in the field of missionary work. They
expressed themselves as most heartily
in favor of the campaign and they said
they hoped that their aims would be
realized.

WM. CURTIS SURPRISED

On His Birthday By Tenants of Wy-
man's Exchange of Which He Is
Janitor

Tenants of Wyman's Exchange
building got their heads together and
planned and executed a very pleasant
surprise yesterday in the form of a
reception to William Curtis, the jan-
itor, the event being the latter's birth-
day.

About 4 o'clock the tenants includ-
ing the doctors, lawyers, dentists, etc.
who occupy offices in the building
gathered on the fourth floor and on
some pretence or other Mr. Curtis was
induced to go there. When he ap-
peared, Dr. Plunkett presented him a
handsome merschaum pipe, beautifully
carved and ten pounds of tobacco, in
behalf of the tenants as a token of
their appreciation of Mr. Curtis' faith-
ful and efficient service. "Deacon" as
Mr. Curtis is called, responded in a
fitting manner and with a neat little
speech. The affair was brought to a
close with a brief entertainment which
included the following numbers:

A quartet composed of Drs. Walter,
Doin, Plunkett and Alling, sang sev-
eral songs; Mr. Hovey rendered a

mandolin solo, accompanied by Dr.
Walter on a melodian; Dr. F. Plunkett
recited Kipling's famous poem, "The
Lad's." Edward Looney played "The
Shepherd's Dream" on the electric
net, with an obligate by Mr. Hovey and
the guitar. Dr. Walter accompanied on
the melodian.

Wait for the big clean-up sale
of the Greig stock, commencing
Saturday morning, February 22,
at 9 o'clock. Bargains for every
body.

Telephone subscribers, who have not yet
paid their bills for January service, are re-
quested to do so at once by mailing their
checks or by paying in person at the local
office of the Company, 254 Central Street.

NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE
AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

FOR SALE
FARM WAGON FOR SALE, WITH
hay attachment; also square wagon
and buggy without top, either sleigh
call and see me. John Keefe, 65 Tenth
street.

BRASS BED, SPRING AND MAT.
tress for sale; will sell cheap. Tel.
2964-1.

second hand, for sale or exchange.
Easily and economically run. Send
for catalog. McBowen Oven Co., 150
State St., Boston.

TIME-GOOD USED BARRIS FOR sale, \$600 to 125 lbs., cheap for cash; John P. Robertson, 79 Riffe st., Waco at student's discount.

SHINNERS - FISHERMEN CAN PUR- chase live bait at 171 Chapel st.

TIME-PASSINGE - RUNABOUT for sale. In good condition, new tires and wheels. Apply 380 Fort Hill ave.

HOT WATER HEATING BOILER for sale, at a wonderful bargain at Vanney st.

POLLER CANNABES FOR SALE Males and females. 322 Cross st.

MICHAEL DISPLAY REFRIGERATOR for sale or butcher, for sale cheap, used. Call J. A. Dobbins, 100 E. 34th St.

MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE-FIRST class upright piano, good as new, in perfect condition. Price low for cash! 101 Elmwood ave., Centralville, Tel. 3451-1.

upright piano, chair and scarf; guaranteed; \$1.00 per week, if taken on time. Address 14, Sun Office.

WILL ANYONE WISHING A PIANO take a very fine, new mahogany up right, latest style, full size and best action. Under small family who would consider purchase of instrument please and terms were made easy. Address: M. F. Sun Office. Delivery.

A FIRST CLASS ORGAN FOR SALE Price \$25.00. J. Korchman, piano tuner, 150 Cumberland Road.

ELMORE 5-PASSENGER TOURING car for sale; price \$350. Car can be seen at Church Street Garage.

SPRIGGS KINGSBURY PIANO 1 good condition for sale. Call 355 cheap for cash. 355 Fletcher st.

Storage for Furniture.
Separate rooms \$1 per month for regular 32 two-horse lot. The dryest and cleanest place for storage. Call J. P. Prentiss, telephone connection, J. P. Prentiss, 355 Bridge st.

GETS LIFE SENTENCE

Maine Man Admits Killing Mrs. Grant

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 13.—In the superior court yesterday James Cannon retracted his plea of not guilty to the murder of Mrs. Ethel Grant at East Millinocket and pleaded guilty, receiving a sentence for life at state prison.

The case against Charles Smith Enfield for the murder of Mrs. Nathaniel Jacobson and her little child in Wrentham, Aug. 35, was continued to the August term at the request of attorneys for the defense, because of the absence of former Sheriff White, who is traveling in Europe.

LYNN SURRENDERS

Malden Postman, Who Said He Stole
Money From Letters, Returns After

Two Months' Absence

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Charles J. Lynn, aged 37, for 15 years a letter carrier who disappeared from Malden December 27, leaving his wife and small daughter at the family home in Medford, walked into the office of Post office Inspector Letherman in the Federal building yesterday and surrendered voluntarily.

Postoffice officials believed that Lynn committed suicide, but he said he was hiding in Brooklyn. To the surprise of Inspector Letherman, Lynn announced that he had stolen money from betters and had then become dependent and lost.

Arraigned later before United States Commissioner Haynes, a formal plea of guilty was entered by Lynn's half, and he was held in his own recognizance for a hearing next Monday. Lynn then went to Medford to see his wife and child, from whom he had been separated for two months.

MISTEROLE

MUSTEROLE — Quick Relief From Rheumatism!

MUSTEROLE has relieved the sands from the torturing pains of rheumatism. It will relieve you right now! Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster, it does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on.

MUSTEROLE is recommended by doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for Bronchitis (Croup—Stiff Neck)—Asthma—Neuralgia—Constipation—Pleurisy—Rheumatism—Lumbago—Pains and Aches in the Back or Limbs.

At your druggist's in 25c and 50c

Accept no substitute. If your druggist cannot supply you, send 25c to the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Cleveland, Ohio, and we will mail you a bar postage prepaid.

Dr. R. H. Barker, Deputy Sheriff, Mcville, N. C., writes: "The first of September, 1911, I was taken with a violent case of rheumatism. I employed a first-class doctor, but received little help. A short time later he advised me to try Muscorol. After five days I was 75 per cent better, and in 15 days I was perfectly well."

MUSCOROL

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

